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SAYS—

The softball games are played on the High School grounds and we are told the field manager has caused the "High School Girls" game to be omitted in order to play. We know nothing of this new order, but if so, then the School Board should see that the High School teams get an even break with the men.

Fifteen Scott County boys arrived at the New Madrid CCC Thursday morning and were sworn in. Sunday the boys at this camp will celebrate their third anniversary by inviting friends to meet with them and help in the celebration. The Chaffee Junior Band will be present and play some selections under the direction of Captain Honey.

Wednesday evening Mrs. G. A. Dempster entertained a few friends at her home with a fried chicken dinner served on tables under the shade of the trees in her back yard. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stokes and daughter, Miss Jean, Mrs. Anna Kinsolving and Miss Rosemary Waters, of Malden; Miss Virginia Vinyard, of Cape Girardeau; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dempster, John Bailey, David Blanton and Robert Dempster, of Sikeston.

A hard rain fell from the middle of the river to Clinton, Ky., Tuesday forenoon. It was a distance of ten miles and no rain in Sikeston. Further over in Kentucky quite a bit of rain fell but over in Missouri not a drop.

Crap tables have been set out of some road houses in Southeast Missouri so we have been told. This game will be missed in certain quarters, but in some kitchens the miss will be the gain.

A telephone message received just before noon Thursday stated Judge Billings was ill and would not be able to pay his visit to Sikeston at this time. At an early date he expects to be in Sikeston and meet Democratic voters.

Chickie Jewell was referee at the wrestling match Wednesday evening for 18 minutes and then retired. He was under bottom man at times and was punched and butted from time to time and Thursday morning felt that he had been sent for and couldn't go.

Gene Collins, 304 Lake Street, had his bicycle stolen Sunday night and offers a liberal reward for the return of same. His phone number is 589.

State Highway Engineer Carl Brown and Secretary Funkhouser, of Jefferson City were Southeast Missouri visitors Wednesday and Thursday and while in Sikeston paid The Standard office a visit.

Official notice to the golfing buddies of Mr. Clarence Scott of Sikeston, Mo.: "On Sunday, July 10, while playing the Jackson Country club course in company with Mr. Francis Blankenship, Mr. Scott sank his tee shot in Hole Number 2 for a hole-in-one. It is a 135 yard pitch hole, well surrounded with trees. It was only the third hole-in-one ever made on this course and the second one on his particular hole. There is no use trying to talk him out of it. He really made it and you might as well take his word for it, because if you don't the conductor of this Column of Light and Uplift in his official capacity as president of the club will make a sworn affidavit to the effect that Mr. Scott really did it. So be prepared to hear him tell about the time he made a hole in one in Murphysboro. He'll be home in a day or two and tell you all about it, and if he is as big a nut as other golfers he'll be talking about it when he's 80.—Murphysboro, Ill., Independent.

Miss Olga Matthews went to Blytheville, Ark. Wednesday to be the guest of Miss Betty McCutchen until Saturday. Miss Matthews and her hostess will attend the Peach Festival at Forrest City, Ark. this week.

Mrs. Robert Lillard is planning a trip to San Francisco the latter part of this month, to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Lillard.

A son, William Henry Keller, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keller, Jr., of Sikeston, Wednesday afternoon at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

## SIKESTON STANDARD COMPLIMENTARY TICKET

This Ticket Will Admit  
Mr. and Mrs. Marion Jewell  
—to the—  
**MALONE THEATRE**  
Friday, July 15 to see  
"Woman Against Woman"

## Ace Cowboys and Cowgirls Will Compete in Big Rodeo

Some of the best cowboys and cowgirls in the West will come to Sikeston to ride, rope and bulldog for prize money in Southeast Missouri's first real rodeo contest—taking place July 22, 23 and 24 at the old fairgrounds.

The Western show is brought here under the combined sponsorship of the Lions Club, American Legion and Fire Department.

R. D. Clayton, local horse and mule dealer, will ship in a carload of the most vicious horses he can buy for the cowpunchers to tame. Cowboys also will ride any stock brought to the rodeo. Farmers having any unruly horses or mules they wish to have broken in may bring them to the grounds, have them ridden by the cowboys and in turn receive a free pass to the rodeo.

## "Sonny" Russell of Bertrand Dies During Swim in Ditch

Gerald "Sonny" Russell, 19 years old, of Bertrand, fell forward in knee-deep water while on a swimming party at the North Cut Drainage Ditch east of Miner Switch and brought out of the water in a dying condition late Monday afternoon.

Able only to gasp, "Help, I'm dying," he lapsed into unconsciousness and was pronounced dead an hour and a half later after strenuous efforts were made to revive him.

While a heart attack and acute indigestion are generally considered responsible for the death, Dr. H. M. Kendig of Sikeston, who first attended the youth and pronounced him dead, said drowning may have been the immediate cause.

Gerald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Russell, of Bertrand, had eaten a hearty supper at his home following a day's work in the Brown Shoe Co. factory at Charleston. With his father and sisters, Mrs. Margaret Bethune and Mrs. Doris Lepchenske, and Chas. Wilmoth of Bertrand, he then went to the ditch for a swim beside the Highway 60 bridge.

He was standing in the water, playing with Mrs. Lepchenske's two children, when he suddenly pitched forward. His body rose partly to the surface and mom-

## Boy Scout Rescues Fellow Swimmer at Lake Inn Hole

A 14-year-old Boy Scout was given an opportunity to prove his training and he did so in an heroic manner.

The Scout is Bernard Schafer. He saved from drowning James Henry Mangum, young son of Bill Mangum of this city, at 3:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The two boys, along with several others, were swimming in the deep Lake Inn hole by Highway 60 at the east edge of the city. Young Schafer finished his swim, came ashore and dressed. The Mangum lad was swimming near the center of hole and the other youths were in the water at the far side.

Suddenly James called for help. He had become exhausted

## High School Band to Play Second Open-Air Concert

Learning to the more popular tunes and marches, the High School band will play its second open air concert of the season this Friday, July 15, at Malone Park. The program will begin promptly at 7 o'clock.

The first concert on July 1 brought out a large number of automobiles, as well as some foot spectators in the park. Because there are no benches in the park for the hearers to sit, the majority prefer to listen from their automobiles and render their applause in honking.

The program for Friday night, as announced by Director R. D. Sorrells, is as follows:

"America" (Carey).  
"The Avenger" march (King).  
"American Soldier" march (Myers).  
"My Gal Sal" (Evans).  
"Little Old Lady."  
"High-Ho" (by Morey-Churchill, from "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs").  
"Whistle While You Work" (same as above).  
"Cincinnati" march (Cook).  
"Russian Lullaby" (Irving Berlin).  
"The Old Apple Tree" (Scholl-Jerome, special arrangement by R. D. Sorrells).  
Group of seven melodies.  
"Cornhusker" march (Wendland).

entirely those in the party thought he was merely holding his breath for some under-water swimming. When they noticed his body limp, they dragged him to the bank.

For a half-hour the family worked over the body. Dr. H. M. Kendig was summoned, and he applied artificial respiration for an hour. Drs. E. J. Nienstedt and M. G. Anderson also were summoned, and State Troopers Melvin Duce and V. P. Boisauhin also assisted. The Sikeston Fire Department was called but its pumpmotor was not used.

Little or no water was taken from the lungs, but Dr. Kendig said there were symptoms of drowning and possibly a broken neck.

Scott County Coroner John F. Nunnelee, Jr., gave a formal statement that death apparently was caused by a heart attack with acute indigestion as a contributing cause. A formal jury inquiry was not deemed necessary.

The body was removed to the Lair Undertaking Co. of Charleston and funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at Bertrand. Gerald attended school at Bertrand and at the Diehlstadt High School.

Surviving besides parents and sisters are two brothers, Harlan and Jeff Russell, both of East Prairie.

The railroads contend they wish only to raise the Missouri freight rates on a level with those prescribed by the Interstate Commerce Commission at Washington, D. C., for all states raising melons.

Growers of the fruit claim the price increase—from 14 to 25 cents per hundred pounds—is confiscatory and will virtually eliminate melon-raising as a farming industry.

On a minimum car weight of 24,000 pounds, the present freight rate from Southeast Missouri, using Charleston as a representative point, is approximately \$33.50. If the railroads' petition is granted, the cost per car for freight will be \$60.

The railroads claim that expenses incidental to shipment, before the car is moved from Charleston to St. Louis, eats up about \$23. This is known as "out-of-pocket" expense and includes the cost of claims, switching, construction of bulkheads, rent per car, inspection and some smaller items. Thus, they affirm, only around \$10.50 remains to pay for the actual moving of the car to St. Louis.

In raising the rates to 25 cents per hundred pounds, they say, growers of this region will be paying the same relative rate as those of Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana and other states.

The increased charge, according to the railroad witnesses, would be slightly lower, mile-for-mile, than other producing sections pay in first class rates. Present rates, it is asserted, would tear down the general level set by the I. C. C. Missouri rates were suspended May 1 pending the hearing.

While the increase would be 11 cents from Charleston to St. Louis, the rise from Charleston to Chicago would be but 3 cents per hundred pounds, according to George W. Holmes of St. Louis, attorney for the railroads.

Represented by Judge Tom Brown of Charleston, former chairman of the Missouri Public Service Commission, the melon growers assailed the proposed rate increase on the grounds that the average profit on a carload of melons is approximately \$20 and the railroads will raise the rates \$30 per car, making it impossible to ship the crop by rail profitably.

It will mean little or no melons will be raised in Southeast Missouri, except for markets in the immediate vicinity, although there is the possibility that some may be shipped out in truck trailers.

Testifying Tuesday afternoon, W. H. Sikes of this city, manager of the Buckeye Plantation, said that on the 1600 acres of that farm it is customary to have 35 to 40 acres of melons in a season. In

1937, he said, it cost an estimated \$18.83 per acre to produce the melons. The 36 acres cultivated in melons produced 15 carloads, which brought an average of \$73.30 per car or \$30.55 gross per acre. This gave a net profit of \$11.72 per acre—with freight rates at 14 cents.

C. L. Butler of St. Louis, assistant general freight agent for the Missouri Pacific, testified that reassignments must be considered in estimating the costs to the carriers. In the 1937 season, he said, of a total of 1215 cars shipped to various points on his railroad, 682, or 56.1 per cent, were rerouted to destinations not originally billed. Some were recognized as many as three times he said.

He also testified the railroad paid a total of \$13,298 in claims for damage. Of this amount, \$12,938 was for "unlocated" cases, damage where the cause was unknown.

In a general nature, testimony of the railroads endeavored to show that a rate increase is necessary to haul the melons profitably, while growers declared any additional charge would ruin Southeast Missouri as a big exporter of melons.

Testing for the growers included W. H. Sikes and J. S. Keivil, Sikeston; Rowe Shelby, Mississippi County Agent R. Q. Brown, and Grover Jackson, buyer, Charleston; L. P. Lanier and H. J. Hardin, Senath; L. A. Roark and Wm. Vance, Arbyrd, and William McGee of Kennett.

Judge Brown had asked for 60 days to prepare a brief and after a conference with the railroad counsel Commissioner Boyer ruled that the sides should have until Sept. 1 to file written briefs presenting their cases to the State Commission.

A. Weeks of Jefferson City, chief rate expert of the Public Service Commission, was also present at the hearing and questioned witnesses from time to time. About 40 persons were at this week's hearing.

## SWIMMING LESSONS AT SIKESTON NATATORIUM

The Sikeston Natatorium has instituted a program of swimming lessons for people of all ages. Joe Wilbur will be instructor, assisted by Wilbur Ensor. The schedule is: Mondays, 7 years and under; Tuesdays, 12 years and under; Wednesdays, 18 years and under; Thursdays, adults. Private lessons can be arranged. Later in the season Wilbur Ensor will have charge of life saving instructions.

A nominal price will be charged for the learn-to-swim lessons. This fee, as well as a special price on season tickets, is given in an ad in this issue of the Standard.

## MRS. A. B. PROFFER IS HONORED BY DINNER

Mrs. A. B. Proffer was the honoree at a birthday dinner given at her home Sunday in celebration of her birth anniversary. Those present to enjoy the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Proffer and Herman Proffer of Dexter; Mrs. D. L. Sanders of Poplar Bluff; Mrs. Joe Smith and son, Joe Lee, of Kennett; Mrs. Rose Hall of Parma; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hall and children, Juanita Rose and Howard Ray, of Blytheville, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall of Marked Tree, Ark.; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allard of Sikeston.

## New Madrid Negro's Execution is Friday

The State Supreme Court Wednesday at Jefferson City refused to interfere with the execution of Johnnie Jones, negro farm hand from New Madrid County, set for this Friday in the lethal gas chamber. Jones, condemned for the criminal assault of a farmer's wife last winter south of Sikeston, will be the first person from Southeast Missouri to die in the new gas cell.

Chief Justice Charles I. Hays of the court merely noted that Jones' application for a writ of habeas corpus was denied. The court wrote no opinion.

The application, filed last Friday, asked Jones' release on the grounds he was not in the court-room last May 18 in New Madrid when a jury found him guilty of the statutory charge. The petition contended Jones was entitled under Missouri law to hear the verdict against him and poll the jury.

New Madrid County officers kept Jones away from the courtroom as a precaution against mob violence.

Jones was caught soon after he attacked the farmer's wife living east of Matthews Lane, at the point of a pistol.

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## P. S. C. to Weigh Melon Rate Hike After Present Season

Opposing parties in the Public Service Commission's hearing to determine if Southeast Missouri railroads shall increase their watermelon hauling rates were given until Sept. 1 to file briefs of their cases to the Commission at Jefferson City, when the lengthy hearing ended at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the High School.

The ruling of Commissioner J. S. Boyer of Jefferson City, who presided, thus forestalls any increase in rates for the present melon season.

The Tuesday hearing was a continuation of the general hearing which opened Wednesday, June 29, and was the second full day given over to testimony by representatives of the railroads—Missouri Pacific, Frisco and Cotton Belt—and melon growers in this area.

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## See Necessity of Shifting Students

Due to the fact that the north part of Sikeston is rapidly growing, an increase of children has brought about a housing problem in the city grade schools.

Board of Education members see as the solution a readjustment of boundary lines between the South Grade School and the Bailey School which will divert more pupils to the South Grade School.

Last year the Bailey School became overcrowded to such an extent that efficiency was impaired. Two rooms in the school held an excess of 45 pupils, while corresponding rooms in the South Grade School enrolled 30 or less.

School Board members have discussed the situation and action was deferred until after enrollment at the opening of school in September. The boundary segregating the pupils between the two schools have been more or less voluntary.

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## Head Blow Believed Cause of Death of Wm. Swinney

A cerebral hemorrhage believed to have been caused by a blow on the head proved fatal to William Swinney, 50 years old, of 419 Matthews Avenue, who died at 12:45 a. m. Thursday in Southeast Missouri Hospital. Mr. Swinney was in the hospital a week.

Relatives of Mr. Swinney said he spoke several times in the hospital of being struck on the head and robbed. He was known to have carried at least \$25 before he was found unconscious late at night on July 6 on West Front Street. They said there were witnesses to the fact that he was struck from behind at a tavern near town earlier in the evening. It is understood the relatives will push an investigation.

When Mr. Swinney failed to respond to treatment at the residence, he was taken to the hospital on July 7 in the Welsh ambulance. During the past week he talked

incoherently at times and was unconscious most of the time.

Mr. Swinney was a mechanic at the Boyer Garage. He was born May 10, 1888, at Trestford, Tenn., and moved with his parents at the age of four to Greenfield, Tenn. Thirty years ago the Swinney family came to Sikeston.

On June 12, 1910, Mr. Swinney was married in Charleston to Miss Edith Corey of Sikeston.

He is survived by his widow; a daughter, Mrs. Hugh Stewart of this city; four brothers, Bert and Charles Swinney of Sikeston, and Joe and John Swinney of Memphis, Tenn., and two sisters, Mrs. N. I. Kirby of Sikeston and Mrs. Daisy Manley of Austinville, Ala.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Friday at the residence, conducted by the Rev. R. S. Rains, and burial with Welsh service will be at Memorial Park.

Plans of the WPA call for construction to begin on the clubhouse building at the airport golf course this Saturday, July 16, according to the local administrator, Leon Groves.

Approximately 35 workers taken from the Library and storm sewer projects will be employed at the links. Work on the Library is almost finished. Storm sewer laborers, after working on East Gladys, are now engaged near Highway 60 and the Frisco tracks.

Much excavation will be necessary before building operations can be started on the clubhouse. There will be a full basement under the structure, which will be of modernistic design bearing a resemblance to Spanish architecture.

Rock and cement for construction has already been deposited at the golf course. Sand and steel, which has been ordered, will be needed within 15 days, so that progress will not be impeded, Mr. Groves said.

Cost of the clubhouse has been estimated at \$10,000, not including inside fixtures, although the individual price has not been separated from the full cost of the golf course project. Originally the golf course, clubhouse and swimming-pool-park as one unit was estimated at \$43,400. The swimming pool portion was abandoned and mentioned as more feasible inside the city limits.

Mrs. G. J. Layton Passes  
After Illness of One Day

Apparently well on the road to recovery from a lengthy illness, Mrs. Julia A. Layton, wife of George J. Layton, died at 6:40 o'clock Thursday morning at her home on Harris Street by the Methodist Church. She was 67 years old.

Mrs. Layton had been in failing health since two years ago in February. She had regained her strength, however, and was able to perform household duties. She became sick suddenly at 5 o'clock Wednesday morning and died close to 26 hours later.

Tentative funeral arrangements were set, depending on whether Rev. E. H. Orear, former pastor of the Methodist Church here, could come from Malden for services in the local church at 3 p. m. Friday. Rev. Orear and Rev. John L. Taylor of the church were to officiate. Burial with Welsh service will be in Memorial Park.

As Julia Champion, Mrs. Layton

## "One-Man Gang" Beats Long, Rush Kicks Way to Victory

Tiger Long of Florida almost quelled the one-man riot, Sailor Jack Adams, the fee-rho-shus looking wrestler from Vermont, at the Legion arena Wednesday night. Rush won the first and third falls.

The other Vermontor on the card, Neal Laye, fell victim to the general onslaught of "Wild Bill" Rush, tough boy from Tennessee.

Judge Brown Jewell was referee for the first fall of the Long-Adams match. Then he asked that he be retired, and Albert Thornton of Caruthersville took over the reins.

Long started fast with kangaroo kicks, but Adams got rougher as time went on. The sailor won the first fall in 18 minutes with a front crotch and back breaker. In the second Long used his flying head scissors with good effect, and even gave the sailor body slams with ear holds. Using the aerial head scissors and kangaroo kicks, Long took the second in 10 minutes for the deciding fall with third time but Adams won in 15 minutes for the deciding fall with body slams, a front crotch and back breaker.

When Rush opened up with slugging, Laye delivered a near knockout to his opponent. This fall was exceptionally rough. Rush delivered Laye a neat kick in the stomach that slowed the Vermontor for the remainder of the match. Dr. G. W. Presnell examined Laye after the fall, which Rush won in 10 minutes with a barrel roll, and stated no ribs were broken because the kick was too low.

The second fall was Laye's throughout, although he seemed to

feel the effects of the stomach boot of the previous fall. He used the body scissors with disastrous effect on Rush. A back body roll gave Laye the fall in four minutes. The roughing continued as Rush won the deciding fall in 10 minutes.

Hostess At Garden Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dempster and son Robert entertained a group of friends with a picnic supper Wednesday evening, that was served in their garden at the rear of the house. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stokes, Mrs. Anna B. Kinsolving, Miss Jeanne Stokes and Miss Rosemary Waters, of Malden; Miss Virginia Vinyard of Cape Girardeau; David Blanton, John Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blanton Sr., of Sikeston.

ENTERTAINS AT BREAKFAST

Mrs. Charles D. Matthews Jr. was hostess at a breakfast Sunday morning, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matthews.

Bluff, who left Monday night for a trip to the Hawaiian Islands. Besides the honorees, the guests were, Miss Olga Matthews, Miss Eleanor Hart, Miss Henrietta Moore, Miss Frances Bowman, Edward Matthews, William Corrigan, Robert McCoolle of St. Louis, Gus Zacher, Miss Lillian Bergmann of Santa Monica, Calif. and Mrs. E. C. Matthews.

Jean Jackson is spending the week as the guest of Teddy Hudson in Caruthersville.

## New Dividend From Sikeston Trust Co.

Checks for another 10 per cent dividend on the Sikeston Trust Co. will go out this Friday, July 15, according to J. S. Wallace, special commissioner in charge of liquidating the affairs of the trust company.

All preferred claims, amounting to \$35,000, have been paid, he said.

Common claims have been up to 20 per cent, he said.

Another dividend to go out some time this fall will wind up the affairs of the institution, Mr. Wallace stated.

ENTERTAINS CLUB AT LAKE

Mrs. P. D. Malone entertained members of her bridge club Thursday, with a swimming party and picnic lunch at Iron Mountain Lake. The afternoon was devoted to the usual bridge games. Mrs. Malone remained at the lake to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson who are spending the summer there. Those who made the trip were, Mrs. Valie Sharp, Mrs. Chas. Moore, Miss Lucille Finley, Mrs. Carroll Sutton, Mrs. Pete Crites, Mrs. J. Malone of St. Louis, Mrs. Gene Bowman, Mrs. Vernon Green, Mrs. B. J. Murbach, Mrs. Glenn Matthews Jr., Mrs. Kendall Sikes and Mrs. Malone.

PICK UP \$5.00!

Business interests of Sikeston—backed by the City Administration and every Civic and Service Club of the city—have plans under way for a monstrous two-day S. E. Missouri fall celebration to take place September 30th and October 1st in Sikeston. The Publicity Committee is eager to have a "catchy" name to the occasion and is offering a prize of \$5.00 for the most appropriate one, which, of course, will be the one used. Mail your suggestion to John G. Powell, Secretary, Sikeston, Missouri, within ten days.

HAS BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Alfred Taylor entertained at dinner Thursday evening, in honor of the birth anniversary of her daughter, Miss Neva Mae Taylor. Covers were laid for Mrs. Lynn Smith, Miss Juanita Crawford, Mrs. James Stearns, Mrs. Dellar Mott, Mrs. James Malone of St. Louis, Mrs. John Reed, Miss Mary Walker and the guest of honor.

WILL SPEND WEEK  
AT LAKE TANEYCOMO

Monday morning, the following from Sikeston will leave for Lake Taneycomo to spend a week. Mrs. Loomis Mayfield and two children, Marilyn and Loomis Jr., Mrs. Murray Klein and children, Evelyn and Jean, Mrs. E. L. Tongate and son Dick, Mrs. R. H. Welbeck and daughter Caroline, Mrs. J. L. Tanner, Mrs. A. C. Barrett, Mrs. W. A. Anthony and daughter Margaret Gray, Mrs. C. W. Limbaugh and daughter Betty Ruth, Mrs. Miley Limbaugh, Mrs. John Fisher, Mrs. Fern Bowman and Miss Mayme Marshall.

Wheat Insurance Available  
In New Madrid County

Wheat insurance is available to wheat producers of New Madrid county through the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, says R. C. McReynolds, Wheat Insurance Supervisor for New Madrid county. The Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, provided for in the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, is a positive step toward insuring the wheat farmer of having wheat for sale every year.

The capital stock of the Corporation is in terms of bushels of wheat and not money; therefore, another important point in this program is the stabilization of wheat prices by the volume of wheat held in reserve by the Corporation. If a large number of growers take out insurance the stabilization phase will be more effective.

A series of meetings to explain the details of the Insurance Program will be held according to the following schedule:

Tuesday, July 19, 2:00 p. m. Canolau School.

Tuesday, July 19, 8:00 p. m. Matthews School.

Wednesday, July 20, 2:00 p. m. New Hope School.

Wednesday, July 20, 8:00 p. m. Kewanee Gym.

Thursday, July 21, 2:00 p. m. Gideon, High School Gym.

Thursday, July 21, 8:00 p. m. Portageville, High School Gym.

After a wheat crop experienced by producers such as the one just harvested, wheat insurance may be quite attractive.



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## **Announcements**

### **For Congressman**

We are authorized to announce Orville Zimmerman as a Democratic candidate for Congress, 10th Missouri District, subject to the action of the party at the General Primary Election to be held August 2, 1938.

### **For Legislature**

We are authorized to announce C. C. White as a Democratic candidate for the Legislature from Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce J. S. Wallace as a Democratic candidate for the Legislature from Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **For Probate Judge**

We are authorized to announce O. L. Spencer as a Democratic candidate for Probate Judge of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **Presiding Judge**

We are authorized to announce J. W. Heeb as a Democratic candidate for Presiding Judge of the Scott County Court at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce J. D. O'Connor as a Democratic candidate for Presiding Judge of the Scott County court at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **For Circuit Clerk**

We are authorized to announce Leo J. Pfefferkorn as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Scott County at the August primary subject to the will of the Democratic voters.

### **For County Clerk**

We are authorized to announce Harry C. Watkins, Jr., as a Democratic candidate for County Clerk of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **For Prosecuting Attorney**

We are authorized to announce David E. Blanton as a Democratic candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce Conley Purcell as a Democratic candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **For Sheriff**

We are authorized to announce John Hobbs as a Democratic candidate for Sheriff of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **Recorder of Deeds**

We are authorized to announce H. F. Kirkpatrick as a Democratic candidate for Recorder of Deeds of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **For County Collector**

We are authorized to announce William Oliver as a Democratic candidate for Collector of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce Elmos Taylor as a Democratic candidate for Collector of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce Tom Scott as a Democratic candidate for Collector of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce C. E. Felker as a Democratic candidate for Collector of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **For County Treasurer**

We are authorized to announce Emil Steck as a Democratic candidate for Treasurer of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

### **For Constable**

We are authorized to announce Walter Ansel as a candidate for Constable for Richland Township at the August primary subject to the will of the Democratic voters.

We are authorized to announce Claude McManus as a candidate for Constable of Richland Township at the August primary subject to the will of the Democratic voters.

We are authorized to announce Ira Shuffitt as a candidate for Constable for Richland Township at the August primary subject to the will of the Democratic voters.

Many think Providence visited recent floods and earthquakes on Tokyo. We don't; but such a theory gives rise to interesting speculations. We should be immensely delighted, for instance, if an earthquake should toss a dictator out of a high balcony on to the cobblestones, iron jaw foremost.—St. Louis Star.

## **ASK COURT TO REMOVE CONSTABLE AND DEPUTY**

Charleston, July 11.—More than 300 East Prairie, Mo., citizens today petitioned the Mississippi County Court to remove from office Ivan Tompkins, Constable, and Guy Draymond, a deputy, as a result of the fatal shooting a week ago of M. L. Sams, 21.

Sams was shot to death as he allegedly attempted to flee from the home of his father when the officers arrived to arrest him on charges of forging a \$6 check.

W. L. Melton, presiding judge, said the court would be guided by recommendations of James Haw, Prosecuting Attorney. Haw made no immediate statement.

## **THREE JUDGES WILL GO ON TRIAL CABOOL, MO.**

Cabool, Mo., July 12.—E. Jay Rice, presiding judge of Texas County Court, and G. C. Cross and G. C. Hassell, former county judges, today awaited preliminary hearing on charges of misappropriating county funds.

They were granted a change of venue from here to a Clinton Township justice of the peace court, but no date was set for the hearing.

They were charged with transferring, illegally, \$1,500 from different county funds.

## **SWINE FEEDERS MEETING JULY 22ND**

Swine feeders of New Madrid County are invited to attend a meeting on Swine Feeding at A. W. Matson's farm, 3½ miles northeast of Gideon, on Friday, July 22, at 1:00 p. m.

"The Missouri Plan of Growing Thrifty Pigs, has proven successful for me," says A. W. Matson. "My fall litter of pigs were produced at an average cost of \$4.20 per one-hundred pounds of pork."

Mr. Matson has been cooperating with the Extension Service for two years on swine feeding and sanitation. He believes the plan is successful and is willing to discuss the work with anyone interested.

He has kept records for the two years; these records and other timely information on swine feeding, will be discussed at the meeting.

## **PURE BRED GILT CLUB AT PARMA**

A group of boys met at the home of Leo Webb Wednesday, July 6, and organized a Pure Bred Gilt Club.

Officers elected were: Donald Gee, president; Leo Webb, vice-president; Wallace Knight, Secretary-Treasurer; Jack Gee, game leader; Robert Gee and Ancell Jones are the other two members of the club.

All of the boys in this club have recently finished a Market Pig Club. They sold their hogs from the other club, and are using the money to purchase their gilts. Three of the boys have already bought their gilts.

The Skeston Standard \$2 per year

# **New Madrid CCC Camp Happenings**

## **NEW MADRID USED AS ENROLLMENT CAMP**

One hundred and fifty-seven new men were enrolled at the New Madrid CCC camp on Wednesday, July 6; 29 from Dunklin County, 26 from Stoddard County, 45 from Butler County, 30 from Pemiscot County, and 27 from New Madrid County. In addition, 10 enrollees from the Hayti CCC Camp and 9 from the Union CCC Camp were transferred there on Friday for retransfer. And unless new orders are received, 26 more young men will be enrolled on Thursday, July 14th.

With 195 old members on hand, CCC Co. 3729 found itself with 371 members and all the camp facilities bulging. Some of the excess from the barracks' accommodations bunked in the new, but unfinished Educational Building. The balance slept in seven large hospital ward tents, erected for this purpose on the baseball diamond outfield. The new men used their field mess kits and obtained their food in a "chow line" outside the mess hall. Recreation Hall and Bathhouse bulged and shook, but managed to stand the extra strain.

Relief for the regular members of the company was granted Saturday, when Captain Robert G. Johnston, Commanding Officer of the Company, took 165 men to the newly designated Missouri CCC Co. 3724 at Keosauqua, Iowa, 50 miles northwest of Keokuk. Included in this 165 transferred were 113 of the new enrollees, 32 volunteers among the old members of the New Madrid Camp, and the 19 transfers from the Hayti and Union Camps. In Iowa these men will be in a Forest Service camp and will be put to planting trees in the new "shelter belt" that extends southward from Cedar Rapids; Captain Johnston returned to his post early Monday morning.

## **CAMP WINS BASEBALL GAME FROM VINSON**

The New Madrid CCC Camp defeated the Vinson baseball team in a hard-fought game at the camp in New Madrid last Sunday, 11 to 6. Errors by the visitors kept the score from being closer, but the CCC boys were the masters throughout the game. Forrest Council of Charleston, father of one of the Camp team, did an excellent job of umpiring. The battle was featured by long drives to the outfield by both teams, and long before the final out both sets of outfielders were willing to call it a ball game.

Ralph Taylor of near Bernie pitched for the C's against his old teammates from Vinson and struck out six in the five innings he pitched. He allowed six runs. Almon "Red" Reagan of Brownwood, pitching the last four innings, struck out six and held Vinson scoreless. Among the long hit manufacturers for the CCC Camp were Cleve Williams of Charleston and Elbert Horner of Kansas City with deep tripples and Bob Jungers of Forniell with a tripple and a double.

The score by innings:  
Vinson 200 040 000—6  
New Madrid 321 040 10x—11

Clark E. Jacoby, drainage inspector for the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Engineering, was at the New Madrid CCC Drainage Camp last Sunday. He spent the day inspecting various erosion control structures on the drainage ditches near New Madrid and left there late that evening for Cape Girardeau, where he was to attend

# **UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED**

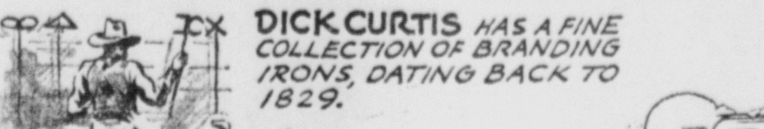
—by "Movie Spotlight"



**CHARLES STARRETT**  
COLUMBIA STAR, HAS ADDED TO HIS FAMOUS COLLECTION OF HISTORIC FIREARMS A GUN BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN OWNED BY JOAQUIN MURRIETA, NOTORIOUS CALIFORNIA BANDIT.



**IRIS MEREDITH HAS**  
REVIVED THE LOST ART OF WEAVING HOMESPUN ON AN ANCIENT LOOM SHE DISCOVERED IN A SMALL ANTIQUE SHOP.



**DICK CURTIS HAS A FINE**  
COLLECTION OF BRANDING IRONS, DATING BACK TO 1829.

a meeting of bureau personnel on Monday.

C. E. Wyrick, field engineer for the Farm Security Administration, and W. S. Baker, Farm Manager of the Southeast Missouri Farms Project of the FSA at La Forge, were guests of the New Madrid CCC Drainage Camp at dinner last Sunday noon. They met Clark E. Jacoby, Drainage Inspector for this area of the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Engineering, and discussed the possibility of the CCC Camp doing some drainage ditch rehabilitation work on the farms project.

Superintendent Fred R. Jacoby and Foreman Forrest A. Burk of New Madrid attended a meeting of U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Engineering personnel from the three CCC Drainage Camps in Southeast Missouri at Cape Girardeau last Monday. They discussed the design of a small portable pile-driver for use by the CCC boys in constructing erosion control structures of the "Wakefield" type, using sheet-piling built up of cypress lumber. It was decided that one of the accepted design would be constructed and given a trial. Other methods of driving the sheet-piling were discussed and assigned for more study.

## **METHODIST CHURCH**

Church School at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon, "Our Refuge and Strength." A cordial welcome to visitors. John L. Taylor, minister.

## **CMTC SELECTS 17 SCOTT COUNTY BOYS**

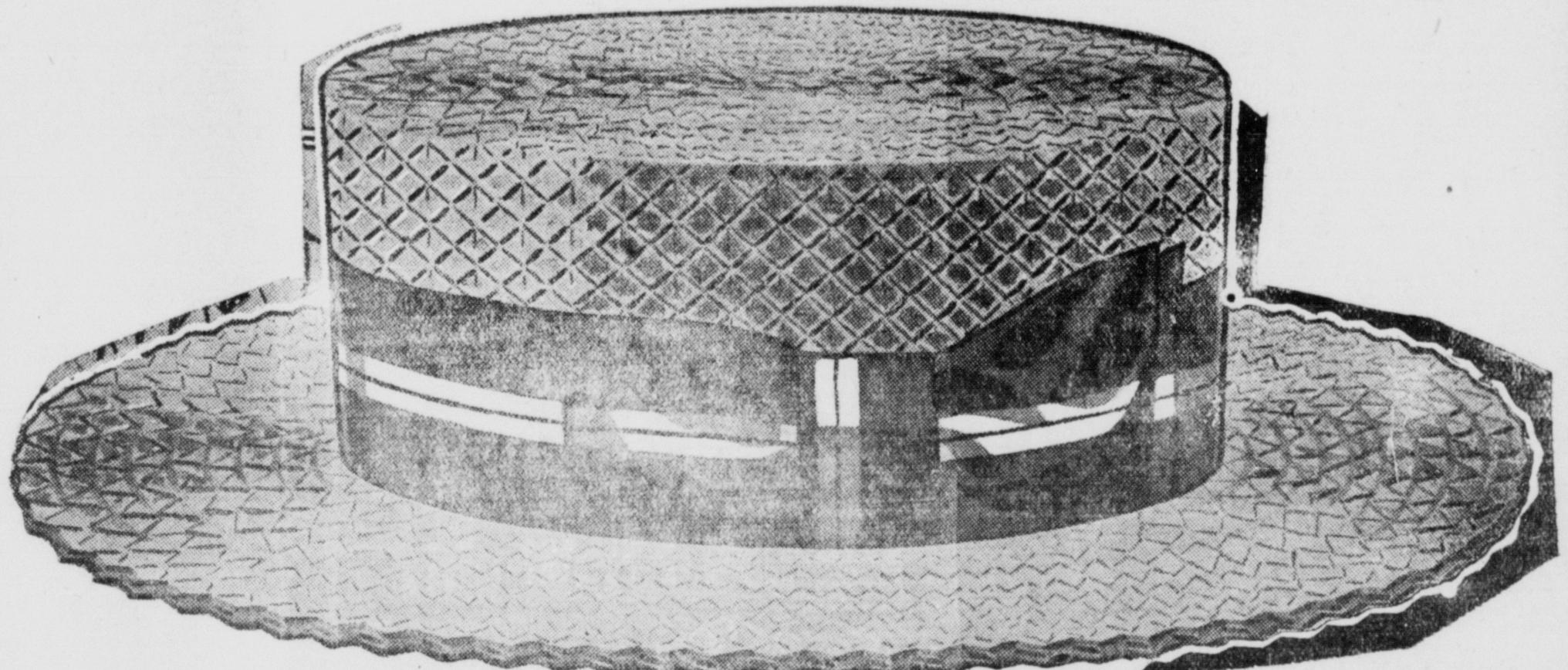
Officials of the Citizens' Military Training Camp have selected 17 boys from Scott County to at-

tend camp this summer, according to word received from Jefferson Barracks, Mo. They are: Ellis R. Ates, Floyd C. Ates and Harold Pobs, Oran; Guy W. Bunyard, Harry M. Edwards, Arthur E. Graves, Walford M. McEwing,

Louis A. Musgrave, Thomas J. Sawyer, Norman H. Schultz, Clarence B. Valerius, Lawrence M. Welter and Owen H. Yount, Chaffee; Charles O. Oliver and George D. Rogers, Ilmo; James A. Schott and Delos M. Wills, Benton.

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GASOLINE  
*for* **MILEAGE**

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# **A GIVE-AWAY PRICE ON All Straws**

New Sailors Smart Panamas  
All Novelty Straws

In this July Sale of Straws, we are giving you the benefit of price-reductions that amount to real savings. But we are also giving you the benefit of the finest quality hats that can be had for the price. The large assortment of styles, shapes, weaves and colors assures you of perfect satisfaction . . . at a saving you can't afford to miss!

The Well-known Dobbs and Brigham Hopkins Straws



\$10 Straws, Now	-----	\$6.45
\$5 Straws, Now	-----	\$2.95
\$4 Straws, Now	-----	\$2.45
\$3.50 Straws, Now	-----	\$2.19
\$3 Straws, Now	-----	\$1.95
\$2.50 Straws, Now	-----	\$1.85
\$2 Straws, Now	-----	\$1.45



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## **SOUTHEAST MISSOURI TELEPHONE COMPANY**



# LEGAL'S

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that because of default in the payment of the note and interest thereon, given by Fred Lee Hicks and Mary N. Hicks, dated February 7, 1937, due in one year, bearing six per cent interest, to Alf Carr and J. Kirby, and recorded, February 13, 1937, in Book 63, page 542, of the Record of Deeds-of-Trust, for Scott County, Missouri, conveying to E. J. Keith, Trustee, the following described real-estate:

Fifty-six Hundredths acres of land off of the south part of Lot Number Twenty-four (24), Lillian A. Smith Addition, just east of Sikeston, Missouri, City Limits, as shown by an official plat of said addition filed in the Recorder's Office, at Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on May 22, 1934, at 4:30 o'clock, P. M., in Book 6, page 5A thereof, and described by metes and bounds, as follows:

Beginning at a stone set for the southwest corner of Lot Number Twenty-four (24) of said Addition; thence north along and with the west line of said lot and said addition, a distance of 207.2 feet to a stone set for the northwest corner of Lot Twenty-eight (28) of said addition; thence east a distance of 100 feet to a point on the east line of Lot Number Twenty-four (24); thence south, along and with the east boundary line of Lot 24, a distance of 203.4 feet, to an iron pipe set in the south line of said Lot 24; thence west along and with the south line of said Lot 24, a distance of 117.8 feet to the place of beginning; all in Scott County, Missouri, Lillian A. Smith's Addition.

Holder of said note, written obligations and claims secured by said deed-of-trust has declared the whole thereof, due and payable in accordance with the terms set out in the said note and deed-of-trust, and has asked the undersigned Trustee to foreclose said deed-of-trust; therefore, I will, in response to said request, made in accordance with the terms and provisions of said deed-of-trust and under the authority therein provided, sell said real estate at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, on

Saturday, July Sixteenth, 1938, between the hours of nine o'clock, a. m. and five o'clock, p. m. at the east front door of the Court House, in the Town of Benton, County of Scott, State of Missouri, to satisfy said indebtedness and the execution of this trust, or so much thereof as is necessary to satisfy the same.

E. J. Keith, Trustee.  
June 24, July 1, 8, 15.

## Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Ruth Breen, Executrix of the estate of Bert Breen, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executrix at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be held at Benton in said county, on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1938.

Ruth Breen.  
June 24; July 1-8-15.

## Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given, that the

undersigned, Executors of the estate of Chas. D. Matthews, Jr., deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executors at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be held at Benton in said county, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1938.

Eleanor B. Matthews,  
Virginia M. Phillips,  
Charles D. Matthews 3rd.  
June 24; July 1-8-15.

## Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Executor of the estate of A. J. Moore, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be held at Benton in said county, on the 4th day of August, A. D. 1938.

John Franklin Moore,  
June 24; July 1-8-15

## Notice re application for 'permis-

sion to locate and maintain power lines on state highways.

Whereas the undersigned has applied to the State Highway Commission for permission to erect and maintain certain power lines upon and along state highways U. S. 61 and S-F in Scott County, Missouri, between points more particularly described as follows:

On U. S. 61 from the intersection of Lake Avenue and U. S. 61 in the City of Sikeston, Mo., North on the West side of said U. S. 61 to the intersection of Wakefield street with U. S. 61 in the City of Sikeston; and

On S-F from the intersection of Wakefield Street with S-F in the City of Sikeston, Mo., North on the West side of said S-F to the intersection of the Salcedo Road (proposed Route S-Y) with S-F.

Notice is hereby given that at the office of the State Highway Commission, Jefferson City, Mo., on the 16th day of July 1938, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. a hearing will be had upon said application at which time and place any person who might be interested in the matter of the location of said lines and matters incidental thereto will be given an opportunity to be heard thereon, and that on or prior to said date any such person may file with said Commission objections or suggestions in writing regarding such matters.

Scott-New Madrid-Mississippi Cooperative Association,  
By ELON PROFFER,  
President.

July 8-15

## SCOTT COUNTY MELON

OUTLOOK VERY GOOD

Weather conditions so far have proved ideal for Scott County's watermelon crop, according to County Agent F. J. Veatch. Cantaloupes also found favor with the weather and are being shipped out already.

Moore Greer of Sikeston last week shipped out 105 dozen cantaloupes. Others who have been selling this fruit are George Miles of Morley, H. McPherson of east of Benton, and E. R. Tisdell, living southeast of Blodgett.

Mr. Veatch said it could not be predicted definitely when the indication as to what the market price will be when the harvest opens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smoot of Mounds, Ill., transacted business in Sikeston Wednesday.

# The SNAPSHOT GUILD

PICTURES ON THE FARM



Everywhere on a farm there are pictures—simple, pleasing snapshots that will give your albums new appeal.

THE man who says "nothing ever happens on a farm" certainly isn't talking about pictures. On almost any farm, if you keep your eyes open, you will find enough snapshot material to keep the camera busy from early morning to late at night—and still not exhaust the supply.

Farm animals offer scores of picture chances—woolly lambs in the sun, a hen fussing over her brood of chicks, cows being driven in for milking, pigs at the trough (or their owner summoning them with a lusty shout), horses drinking, ducks waddling in a line about the yard or taking an afternoon "cruise" in the pond.

Work scenes in the field make excellent pictures, and fresh-plowed land with long deep furrows is good for pattern snapshots. The orchard in bloom is a scene of beauty, and all

around the house and barn lot there are details which make pictures.

Get a snap of Grandfather whitening, mending a single-tree, or busy at a whirling grindstone. Picture shady fence corners, old-time ziggzag fences of laid rails, the battered wooden bucket at the well and the worn saw-horse or chopping block in the woodlot. Look for snapshots down by the shady spring-house and brook. And watch the special seasons—such as hog-killing time later on—when there is some unusual activity to picture.

Yes, there are plenty of farm snapshots—everything from a calf being fed from a bottle to corn-husking shots at harvest time and foot-prints in the snow in winter. You can point your camera in almost any direction, and find something. Try it, every chance you get, and watch your picture albums grow!

John van Guilder.

## SOME SCOTT COUNTY

FARM BUREAU NEWS

### Low Quality Wheat Should Be Fed

Scott County farmers having low quality wheat should utilize this crop by feeding it on the farm rather than selling it says Assistant County Agent Edward Dickerson.

Feeding trials conducted at the Missouri College of Agriculture indicates that low grade wheat is nearly as good for feeding livestock as is wheat of high quality. Chemical analysis also indicates similar feeding values.

Wheat is particularly valuable as a hog feed. Feeding trials indicate that ground wheat is worth from 15 to 25% more than number 2 corn. When corn is selling for 56 cents per bushel wheat is worth 62 cents per bushel. On this basis of comparison barley is worth 41 cents per bushel, rye 48 cents per bushel and oats 22 cents per bushel. In thinking of values of the various grains variation in weights must be taken into account.

Wheat contains 11.3% protein and corn contains 7.1% protein, which makes it a more desirable feed. Wheat also weighs 4 pounds more to the bushel than does corn.

Hogs fed on wheat make fully as good pork as hogs fed on corn, according to packers.

### Home Grown Feeds For Chicken Rations

At this time of the year it is a tendency for many chicken raisers to feed an unbalanced ration. Wheat, barley, and oats may be

utilized profitably if fed with other feeds. A good growing mash to keep before the pullets at all times is made up of 100 pounds of ground yellow corn, 100 pounds ground wheat, 100 pounds heavy ground oats, 40 pounds meat scrap, 20 pounds dried milk, 16 pounds alfalfa leaf meal and 4 pounds of salt. This mash should be kept before the young chick at all times, and additional cracked grain should be fed as a scratch grain.

A good paying ration made up of home grown feeds in 200 pounds corn, 350 pounds ground wheat, 150 pounds meat scrap and 7 pounds salt. This mash should be kept before the hens at all times. In addition corn and oats or barley should be given morning and night.

These rations may be made very economical and give good results.

### Farmers Poison Grasshoppers

During the past week eleven farmers have come to the County Extension office and secured orders for a total of 4,250 pounds of grasshopper bait. These farmers reported damage being done primarily to clover, alfalfa, lespedeza and some damage is also being done to soybeans.

Mrs. Robert Mow, Jr., entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home Tuesday morning with a bridge breakfast.

Miss Nina Ruth Vaughn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Vaughn of this city, left Wednesday morning for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Paris, Mo.

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

## Highway Tops Shoe Boys, 4-3; Hollingsworth Winner Again

The team that gave the Highway its only defeat of the season, the International Shoe Co., found the Road Builders harder to crack Monday night and Highway won a pitcher's fiesta, 4-3, with the four-hit pitching of Jimmy Law. Highway got seven hits.

Hollingsworth won its second consecutive victory and its third of the season, 9-5, over Flower Basket.

Frank Kuehnell led off a three-hit inning in the second with a home run and the Road Builders scored two at this time. Three hits in rapid-fire order in the fourth, by Tandy, Kuehnell and Weeks, added two more runs. Tisdal, after a single, scored for the Shoe team during a melee around second base. Two other Shoe Factory runs resulted from the old catcher-to-shortstop play, designed to catch a man stealing home when a runner is going to second. The ball went past shortstop and both men scored.

Kuehnell and Crain hit twice in two appearances.

Hollingsworth gained five runs on four hits, a walk and an error in the first, and chalked up four more in the sixth on some Flower Basket muffs. The Flower Basket was held to intermittent scoring, and the makings of a rally in the last frame netted only two runs. The team got seven hits off Dempster. Hollingsworth gathered nine safeties off McClellan.

Clark, V. Jones, Rogers and Lockhart batted .500.

Highway AB R H E  
Geeham, ss. 2 0 0 0  
Law, p. 4 0 1 0  
Tandy, 2b. 3 0 1 0  
Kuehnell, c. 3 2 2 1  
Weeks, 1b. 3 1 1 0  
Bruce, lf. 2 1 1 0  
Hale, sc. 3 0 1 0  
S. Jones, rf. 2 0 0 0  
McGill, cf. 3 0 0 0  
Green, 3b. 2 0 0 1

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Int'l Shoe AB R H E  
R. Bundy, ss. 2 0 0 0  
Bartholomew, 3b. 2 0 0 1  
Eaton, 1b. 3 0 0 0  
Miller, cf. 3 0 0 0  
Lee Page, 2b. 3 0 1 0  
Crain, sc. 3 1 2 0  
R. Williams, rf. 2 1 0 0  
Wyatt, p. 2 0 0 0  
Frey, lf. 3 0 0 0  
Tisdal, c. 3 1 1 0

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Highway 020 200 0-4  
Int'l Shoe 001 200 0-3

Flower Basket AB R H E  
Conner, c. 3 1 1 0  
Nelson, lf. 4 1 1 0  
Clark, ss. 2 0 1 0  
Tetley, rf. 3 0 1 0  
McClellan, p. 3 0 1 0  
Fansler, 1b. 3 0 0 1  
A. Lee, sc. 3 1 1 2  
Hooper, 3b. 3 0 0 0  
R. Lee, cf. 2 1 0 0  
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Capps, lf. 4 1 1 0  
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## FIREMEN CALLED TO LARGE ROOF BLAZE

A roof fire of considerable proportions caused around \$200 damage to the home at 209 North West Street, occupied by Dude Lacy and owned by the Malone Estate, Monday night. Firemen were called out at 11:30 p. m. A small roof blaze brought

firemen to the home of Mrs. A. B. Proffer, 220 Scott Street, at 8:45 a. m. Wednesday.

Locked in a Tower to Make Sure He'll Wed a Princess One of the Many Interesting Articles in The American Weekly, the Magazine Distributed with Next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

# WHILE THEY LAST!

Child's Brown Barefoot Sandals, sizes 7½ to 1. Girl's White Straps Sizes 8½ to 1

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Ladies' Cuban Heel, Straps and Oxfords in white linen, leather soles of course.

\$1

Ladies' assorted Sandals, Straps and Pumps, in white, black, patent or grey, values to \$4.00

\$1

Men's All Whites..... \$1.48 to \$3.98

Norton Shoe Store

# Swimming Lessons

\$2.00 per month

Monday morning, ages 7 and under.

Tuesday morning, ages 12 and under.

Wednesday morning, ages 18 and under.

Thursday morning grown-ups.

Private lessons will be arranged.

Season tickets, 12 and under \$3.00; over 12, \$4.00; good at any time.

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## Conoco Products Are On Sale at the Following Places:

Sikeston—Shroff and Aufdenberg; Barnes and Rafferty; York Auto Sales.  
Morehouse—Russell Barnes.  
Canalou—Red & White Cafe.

Mathews—Drake Auto Sales.  
Noyall—Stroud & Lindenschmidt.  
East Prairie—DeField Station.  
Charleston—C. W. Miller.  
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## STATE CAPITOL NEWS REEL

Col. Marvin B. Casteel of the State Highway Patrol in a drive to reduce the number of highway accidents in Missouri has sent an order to every state trooper to investigate every accident for a criminal offense and arrest all violators . . . The State Social Security Commission has allotted \$308,300 for relief for July in the entire state, as compared with \$325,478 in the previous month . . . Eugene L. McGee of Poplar Bluff has been appointed by Gov. Lloyd C. Stark as a Republican member of the board of regents of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College at Cape Girardeau, for a term ending January 1, 1943 . . . The Missouri State Park Board has named resident naturalists at Meramec State Forest and Roaring

## LADIES' HAIR CUTTING

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Latest Styles

## SANITARY BARBER SHOP

## Piles Cured

BY MY MILD TREATMENT  
17 YEARS EXPERIENCE.  
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## Mixed Peas

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River State Park to furnish guide and information service to visitors . . . The Graham Paper Co. of St. Louis has been awarded the state annual paper contract on a bid of \$80,933.92, the lowest and best received . . . F. P. Sizer, Jr., of Monett has been appointed as Deputy Insurance Superintendent under Superintendent George A. S. Robertson . . . The Missouri Conservation Commission has appointed thirty-nine conservation agents, all chosen through merit examinations, to replace the old staff of fish and game wardens . . . Governor Stark has announced that he probably will not fill until after August 2 the two vacancies now existing on the State Public Service Commission, one being occasioned by the death of Judge Albert D. Norton of St. Louis, while the term of William Anderson of Harrisonville has expired.

## ISSUED CHECK ON LONG-CLOSED BANK

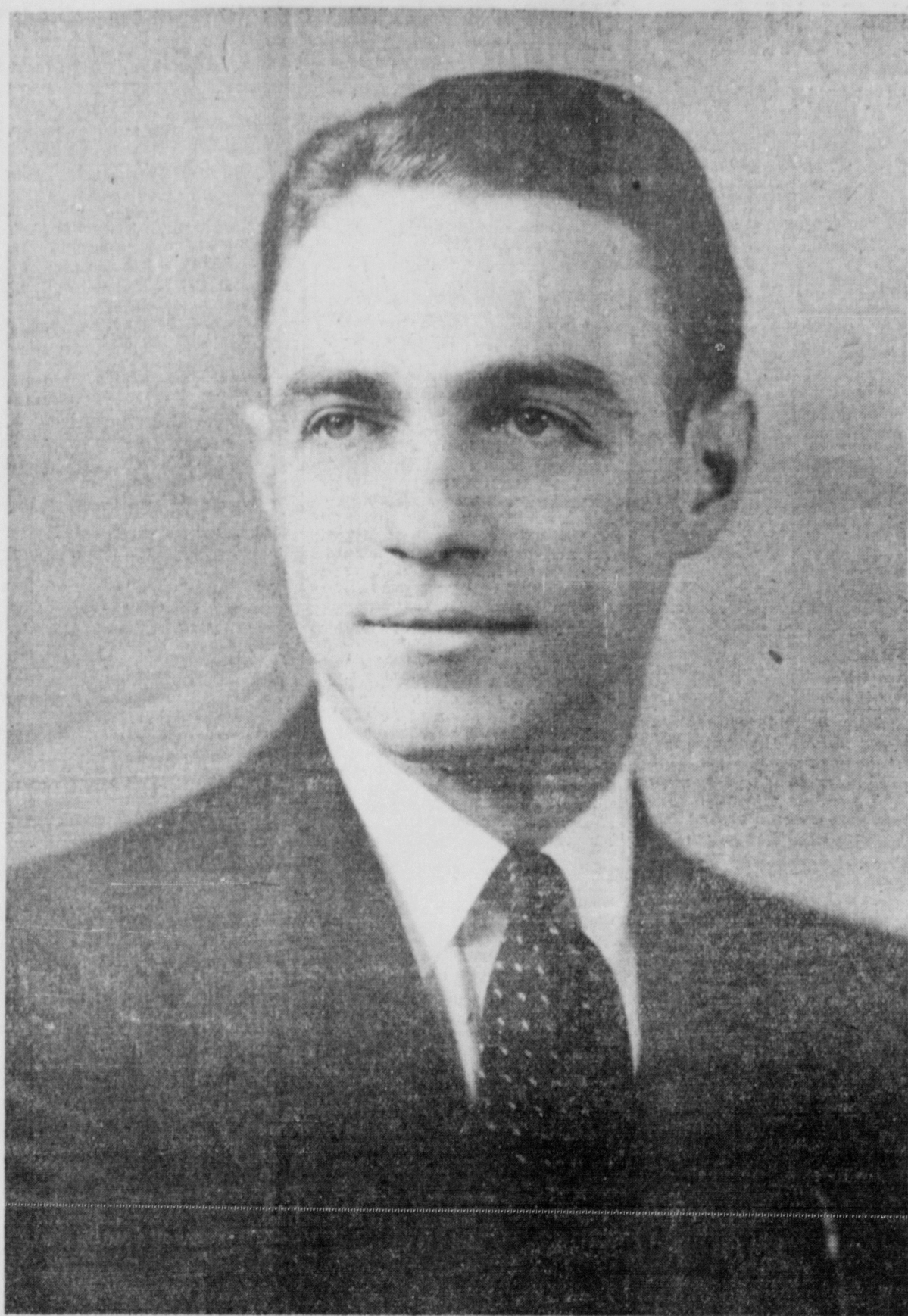
Bonnie Lovern, a man from Marion, Ill., pleaded guilty to fraud Thursday morning in the court of Justice Brown Jewell and was given a fine of \$18 and a 30-day jail sentence for passing a check on a non-existent bank.

Lovern, it was charged in court, passed a \$15 check with P. J. Ponder on the Citizens Bank of Marion, Ill., an institution which closed its doors several years ago. He was arrested Saturday by the State Highway Patrol at Cape Girardeau and turned over to Scott County authorities. He came to Cape Girardeau as a hitch-hiker.

George Dockins of this city pleaded guilty in justice court to common assault with a knife against V. B. "Dutch" Heisler, who operates the Top Hat tavern at the northeast edge of the city. The attack took place April 10 at the tavern. A warrant was issued for Dockins and he surrendered to police Wednesday. Judge Jewell withheld decision in the case, and a \$5000 bond for Dockins was signed by James S. Hodges, of near town.

## SIKESTON GIRL SCOUTS ENJOYING CAMP WEEK

Twenty Girl Scouts of Sikeston are spending the week at Camp Rotary, near Marble Hill, under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and Charles Tanner. They left Sunday and will return here Friday. A complete Scout program was arranged and followed.



DAVID E. BLANTON  
Candidate For Prosecuting Attorney Scott County

## Washington Comment

Congress no longer is in session, but it is not conducted like a saw mill, which is shut down on Saturday night and put into operation on Monday morning. As to Congress, there is always something doing, even though the oratory may be lacking. From the quiet of what is supposed to be a summer retirement, Representative Woodrum, of the House Appropriations Committee, speaks his views on subject of general interest.

Though conservative in the matter of spending, Mr. Woodrum is of the opinion that the Federal outlay must proceed for another twelve-month, and that an attempt to curtail recovery appropriations at this time would be unwise.

The 75th Congress spent approximately 12 billion dollars, and it is expected that its successor will be able to do no better than to duplicate that sum, less a billion or so. Business conditions may warrant a cut, but the most effective tool with which to smooth the business road is said to be available federal cash. The word "business" is to be construed broadly, and, of course, includes the farmer. The government income is in the neighborhood of 6 billions per annum, from which it appears that the next Congress will have to concern itself with ways and means, as well as with appropriations.

Getting back to the distinctly stated views of the authority mentioned "Taking the picture all in all, our logical objective for a balanced budget is the 1940-1941 fiscal year. If economic conditions are right, the job can be done, and the present spending is being done on the promise that it bring about those conditions."

Closely allied to the foregoing are the words of the President, addressed to twenty-five labor and business leaders from the South. Writing of affairs in that section, Mr. Roosevelt refers to an economic unbalance that can and must be righted, not only in the interest of those immediately affected but, as well, in the interest of the nation at large. The South presents the No. 1 economic problem of the land, and until that problem is solved, conditions cannot be expected to improve elsewhere. Such are the White House views.

Appropos of the prospective drop in federal revenue, hereinbefore mentioned, the question which arises naturally is: What is going to be done about it? The most available, if not most welcome, source of funds is taxes. Along that line, there is the assurance of the Treasury that the matter will be permitted to rest for a while. Upon the other hand, there has appeared in the sky a cloud no bigger than a man's hand, but of the kind likely to grow. In a magazine article, Senator LaFollette recently let fall some disquieting

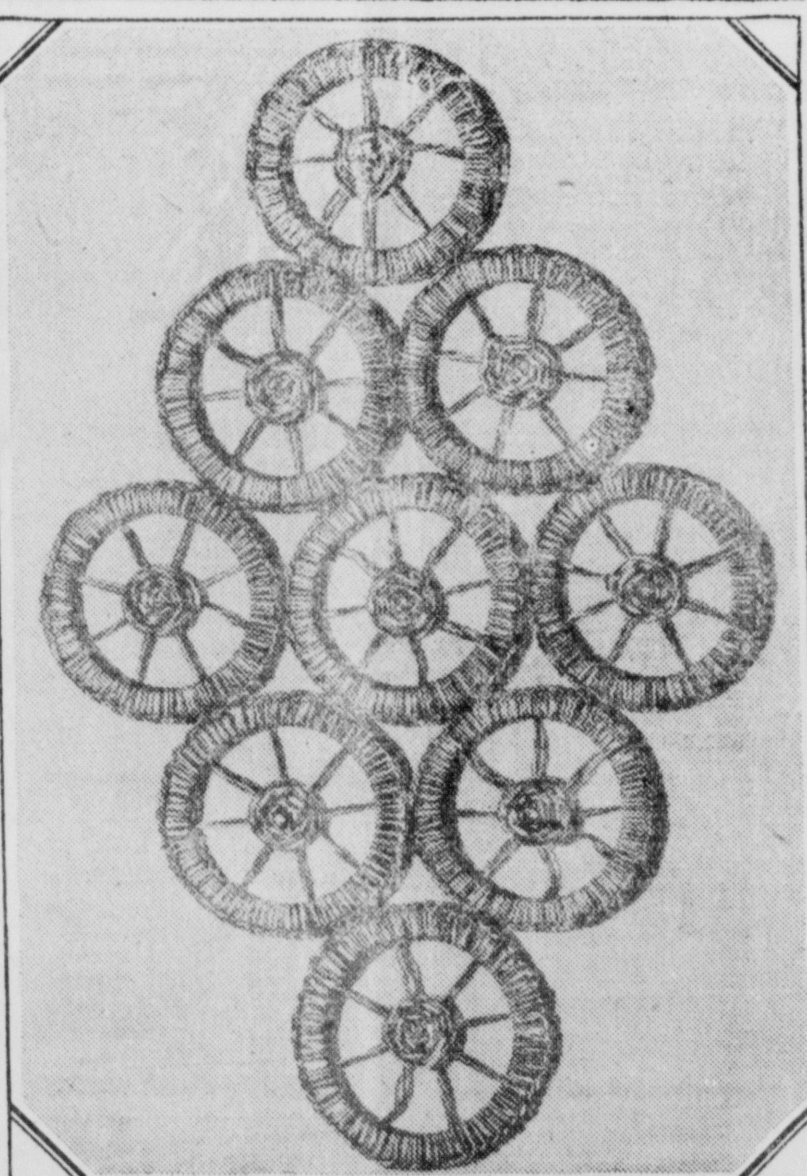
observations about increasing the income tax collections. Senator King, of the Senate Finance Committee, indicates that the income tax exemptions of the individual probably will have to be lowered. The word "probably" does not extinguish the last ray of hope, but is ominous enough.

It is current that the meeting salutation in Germany is no longer Good Morning or Good Evening, but Hail Hitler. A good many years ago, Mr. Guizot wrote

an interesting book about the history of civilization in Europe. In it, he stated, in substance, that in the long run, civilization had not progressed through the efforts of men who thought that they were the whole cheese. It may be that self-appointed Fuehrers and Duces must come, but it is certain that they will have to go. Considered by and large, they form a sure foundation for nothing but trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lankford and daughters, Miss Freda and Mary Ann, expect to leave Sun-

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## Cape Girl Scouts Offer to Sell Drums, Bugles to Corps

The girls' drum and bugle corps of Sikeston, now in formation, can secure the equipment of the Cape Girardeau Girl Scouts' organization at a bargain, R. D. Sorrells, local director, was informed by the director there. Acceptance of the offer is pending.

The Cape corps, which has disbanded, has an entire set of 10 snare drums, 1 base drum and 16 bugles. The Girl Scouts dissolved their organization because of too many competing units in Cape Girardeau, among which is the Central High School corps.

The Sikeston corps has about 30 girls registered, and there is room for 20 more, Mr. Sorrells said. Applications are being taken by Mary Lou Schreff, Electa Shankle, Shirley Jean Smith and Helen Lee. The cost to drummers is 45 cents for a pair of sticks. Bugles are lent free. The local American Legion has lent the girls 10 bugles.

A file of cocoa wood is desired for each snare drum, Mr. Sorrells said. These cost \$2.50, becoming the permanent property of the buyer. It is easy to learn to play them, he said.

Mr. Sorrells has six students in

day, July 24, for a three weeks' visit with the former's father, W. J. Lankford, and other relatives in Los Angeles, Calif.

## PENSION CHECKS TO 72,249 MISSOURIANS

A total of 72,249 Missourians received old age assistance checks early this month, and their average came within three cents of reaching \$17.

The \$16.97 average marked an increase of 48 cents over the June checks. There were 579 removals for ineligibility during the month, but the net decrease in the rolls was only 173 because of new cases and reinstatements.

George I. Haworth, State Social Security Administrator, said the reinvestigation of all cases begun last December was being pushed "as rapidly as the other duties of our investigators will permit."

Total payments in July were \$1,225,090, as against \$1,193,973 in June.

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

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Mr. Sorrells chief problem is instruments. The local supply belonging to the school is far below that of other cities, such as Charleston. Most of the school musicians furnish their own instruments, but more talent would be available if instruments could be furnished.

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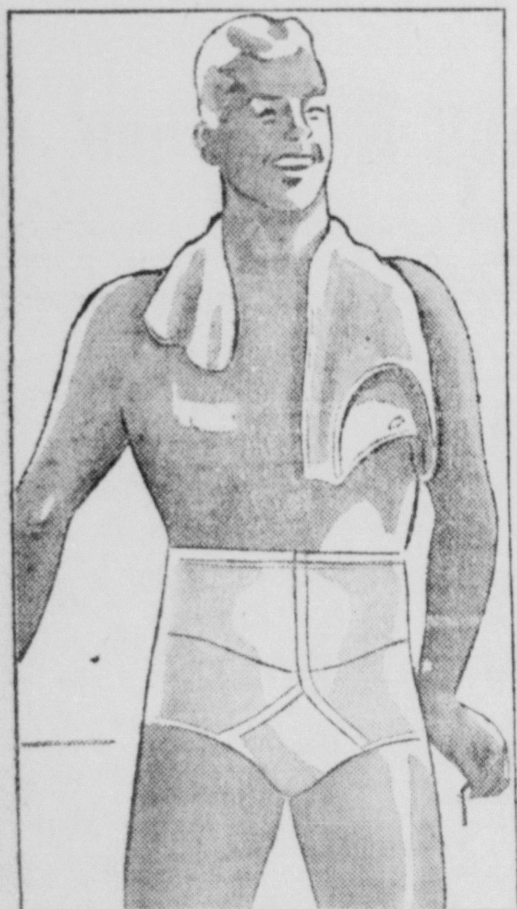
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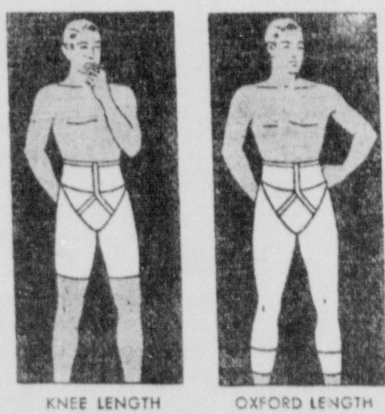


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## Personal News of Sikeston

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter, Phones 761w and 137

Misses Martha and Louleese Stanaland of Thomasville, Ga., who had been here visiting the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Ellis, the past week, left Thursday morning for Hot Springs, Ark., for a few days' visit before returning home.

Mrs. S. R. Wilkes of Donalsonville, Ga., will leave Saturday for her home, after having spent the past two weeks here with her sister, Mrs. D. D. Ellis, and family.

Mrs. Stella Peortincasa and Miss Marie Fuldner of Chicago arrived Monday to spend a week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Sikeston.

Mrs. A. C. Waters entertained her bridge club Monday night.

Mrs. Raymond Winer and little son Glendon, of Desloge, Mo., and her father, S. D. Hudson of Fresno, Calif., arrived Tuesday to visit their sister and daughter, Mrs. C. J. Stevens and family. Mrs. Winer and her son returned to Desloge Wednesday and Mr.

Hudson will remain in Sikeston for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jones and daughter, Kathleen, of Cape Girardeau visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Roy Wagner and family, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Nellie Lynn of Cape Girardeau is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Ford, this week.

Mrs. Lyman Gross and Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth motored to Arcadia Monday morning and accompanied home their daughters, Miss Betty Jo Gross and Miss Ruth Hollingsworth, who attended the Methodist Young Peoples Conference, last week.

Mrs. Elmos Taylor and Miss Margaret Dunn, Mrs. Stella Peortincasa and Miss Marie Fuldner of Chicago spent Wednesday night as guests of Mrs. Ray Marshall at her country home.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Anthony spent Wednesday in St. Louis.

Miss Electa O'Hara will leave Sunday for Bowling Green, Ky., to attend the Business College there for several weeks.

Supt. and Mrs. R. A. Harper and their son returned last Friday from Jefferson City where Mrs. Harper and son visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Detherage while Mr. Harper attended an Educational Conference in Columbia.

Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Orear of Malden spent several hours in Sikeston, Wednesday.

Miss Edith Rich of St. Louis was the guest of Miss Ina Head from Friday until Monday night.

Mrs. Paul Farmer and two children, who have been visiting relatives in Sikeston, will return to their home in St. Louis, Sunday.

Mrs. W. I. Sidwell and Mrs. Sharron Pharris motored to St. Louis Friday morning and that evening accompanied to Sikeston, Miss Almetta Sidwell, who attended a business college in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clodfelter of Essex were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pitman, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ruby Newsom and her daughter Frances Ann, went to St. Louis Saturday to visit the latter's grandmother, Mrs. H. A. Newsom. Mrs. Newsom returned home Sunday evening and Frances Ann remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. E. C. Matthews has as house guests this week, four of her sisters, Mrs. J. H. Ruff, Mrs. Robt. Vogelsang and Mrs. R. B. Snider of Cape Girardeau and Miss Lilian Bergmann of Santa Monica, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Randol Wilson, Mrs. O. T. Elder and the latter's sister, Mrs. George Taylor of Columbia, Mo., spent Thursday in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graber and children, and Leonard Cohen and Joe Goldstein, attended a picnic at Hayti, Sunday, that was given by the B'nai B'rith lodge of Blytheville, Ark.

Mrs. Leonard Cohen and son Byron, returned Wednesday night from Dayton, Ohio, where they had visited relatives for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gunther of St. Louis were week end guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. W. I. Sidwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Northington and two children returned Wednesday night from Guthrie, Ky., where they visited relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. John O. Ensor of Tullahoma, Tenn., arrived Thursday to spend a week with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ensor. Their grandson, John Richard Ensor will accompany them home for a visit.

Mrs. Arden Ellis was hostess to her bridge club Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Florence Marshall returned Wednesday night from Blodgett where she had visited in the home of her son Ben F. Marshall Jr. for ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Keller are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau, on Wednesday, July 13.

Mrs. Norah Grabendike left Thursday morning for Lynnville, Ind., for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Ida Bimmitt.

Mrs. Thos. B. Allen and daughter Mary Emma, returned Thursday morning from St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Coleman left Monday morning for Lexington, Ky., to visit the former's sister before going to Boston, Mass. Mr. Coleman will return to Sikeston from Boston, while Mrs. Coleman will go to Canada to spend the remainder of the summer at her mother's home near Cody, New Brunswick. Mr. and Mrs. Cole-

## Tall Tales

As told to: ELMO FRANK E. and SCOTT HAKAN WATSON

### A Resourceful Cock

"THE picture in my living room," said Humming Bird Stevenson of Columbia, Tenn., "is not a reproduction of a freak of nature but a lifelike portrait of Blinky, my one-eyed rooster."

"That smear on the right side of his head is a glass eye. I know it's bloodshot. I painted it that way to make the other cocks overconfident. His neck is a trifle corkscrewish—that's because Blinky, in feinting to overcome the handicap of a single eye, almost wrung his own neck."

"The greatest pitting he won was when a couple of city fellows came to Columbia with their fighting birds and cleaned everything in sight."

"In the grand finale, Blinky was matched against the city champion, an Allen round-head, and I bet all I could beg, borrow or steal at odds of 5 to 1. The odds were easy to get, for word was passed to the city slickers that poor Blinky was a one-eyed cock. I guess you know who spread the report."

"Blinky never showed better pitmanish. Wherever the round-head struck my pride slipped and put his glass eye in front of the gaffs. After that the round-head's needles were too dull to mend a pair of open-work stockings and the match was in the bag."

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man were accompanied to Lexington by the former's father, E. P. Coleman Sr. of Sardinia, Miss., and his nurse, who have spent several weeks in the Coleman home here.

Mrs. Melfred Taylor was hostess at a handkerchief shower in her home last Friday afternoon, in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lyman Mitchell, who left the first of this week for her home in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Chas. H. French entertained three tables of guests at bridge Saturday afternoon, in honor of Miss Mary Phillips of Portland, Ore.

Mrs. C. D. Matthews III and two children, Dot and Charles, were in St. Louis several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Saville of Pontiac, Mich., are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Howard A. Dunaway and relatives in Morehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matthews III visited with Dr. and Mrs. John Stokes at Mayfield, Ky. Sunday and were accompanied home that evening by their daughter, Dot, who had spent a week as the guest of Ann Stokes. They were accompanied as far as Arlington, Ky. by their son Charles and Mrs. Anna Winchester who spent the day with the latter's sister, Mrs. Robt. Lillard.

### NEGROES SUPPORT JUDGE DOUGLAS

Thos. J. R. Wilson, of St. Louis, who has been in Jefferson City for the past six years, directing the activities of the State Negro Democratic Association which he founded there in 1932, has organized a Negro Out-State Douglas-for-Judge Club and is making a through canvass of every county where there is a Negro vote for the Judge.

Mr. Wilson states that the State Negro Democratic Organization cannot endorse any candidate in the primaries, but each of its county or Independent Units may do so if they desire. There are sixty County Units and Seven Independent organizations affiliated with the United Negro Democrats of Missouri, Incorporated.

The Out-State Club will be active in every County in the State, except Jackson and in the City of St. Louis. Each of these, Kansas City and St. Louis, having their independent organizations. There are better than seventy thousand Negro votes in rural Missouri.

The entire State has been divided into regions and is supervised by men and women who are experienced and know how to get out the vote. The executive committee is made up of influential Negro Democrats from all over the State, Eugene Robinson, Inspector of Hairdressing and Cosmetology, of St. Louis is Chairman, Ethel M. Bowles, and P. Ruby Perdeau are Co-Chairmen of the Women's division and Capt. I. H. Jordan of Jefferson City and Mrs. Tillie Griffin of St. Louis head up the Fraternal Division, which is a strong unit. C. Lopez McAllister, Hannibal, former President of Western College, Kansas City, is

## Open Letter to a Drunken Driver



Travelers Safety Service

SURE, you can drive home a'right. Don't let 'em feed you any of that bunk about letting somebody else take the wheel. Any time old Pete can stand on his two feet he can drive an automobile, drunk or sober. Whatch a few drinks between friends, anyway. You show 'em who's going to drive.

Pile 'em into the car. That sweet little wife of yours, who's such a swell kid even if she does nag you about driving when you're drunk. And that funny couple with you who want to take a taxicab home. Imagine! Wanting to take a cab! Pile 'em in. Step on the gas. Whoopee! Go places. . . .

Brother, you're not the big shot you think you are. You're just a fuzzy-brained, liquored-up, obstinate ass with about as much right to drive an automobile on the public highway as a monkey from the zoo would have.

I won't appeal to your reason because it's obvious that you haven't any. I won't appeal to your emotions because they're pickled.

I only hope you'll start to drive home some night, alone, when you've one too many under your belt. Then I hope some little emergency will arise which your addled brain and fumbling hands won't enable you to meet. I hope you'll have an encounter with a tree or a telephone pole that will land you in a police cell and your car on a junk heap. As you sober up I hope the baseness of your continued offenses against society will be borne in upon you with sickening clarity. I hope the newspaper headlines will scream out to all your relatives and friends and business acquaintances: PROMINENT LOCAL MAN GETS DRUNK AND LANDS IN JAIL.

Yes, I hope an All-Wise Providence will arrange this little lesson for you. And soon, before you kill somebody, as you surely will if you continue to drive when you are drunk.

heading a committee of the Negro Vice-Commander of the American Clergy, with Jos. L. McLemore, one-time Democratic Nominee for Congress in the old 12th District, as chairman of the Lawyers Committee. J. H. Thomas, Past-State-

## MILLIONTH P. C. A. LOAN



The closing of a loan to Harley M. Moore, corn belt farmer of Cass County, Indiana, by the Peru Production Credit Association, one of the 535 cooperative credit organizations that make loans to farmers in all parts of the country, marks the millionth loan made by these associations, according to word received by John R. Gaty, secretary-treasurer of the Sikeston Production Credit Association.

Mr. Moore, a member of the Peru Association since 1934, has used his association's service four times since that spring. On Saturday, Mr. Moore borrowed to pay taxes, finance his feeder operations, and pay current farm expenses. He obtained part of his loan now and will receive the balance as he needs it during the year. Mr. Moore expects to repay his loan from the sale of his hogs and feeder cattle. He also used cooperative long-term mortgage credit when in 1934 he financed the purchase of the farm he had rented for 13 years with a Federal land bank loan.

Mr. Gaty pointed out that the Sikeston Association, like the 534 others, has been making steady growth since its organization in 1934. Its members own stock amounting to \$18,305.00 and 14 per cent of the total capital is owned by the farmers who use the association. They have also built up a reserve amount to \$12,739.00 to protect their investment and assure the permanence of their organization.

When asked how this association was progressing, Mr. Gaty answered that it has made 255 loans amounting to \$249,159.25 through the first six months of this year. He expects the association

man of the Stuart Printing Co., is heading the Negro Business Men and Women, with Dr. A. W. Fox of Hannibal Chairman of the Professional Men and Women.



Here is a safetygram for housewives:

Delivery men as a rule are efficient and safe drivers, not just because of long training and intensive safety education, but because they have been taught to be patient, courteous, and tolerant. Problems and questions that

to surpass last year's record-breaking volume of business by the time the end of the year comes around. He recalled the enthusiasm shown by members of the association at the annual meeting last February at which 120 farmers and their wives were present.

would try the patience of Job are put in their path a hundred times a day. For example:

Mrs. Smith asks for a special rush delivery, then forgets about it and leaves home.

Mrs. Brown asks the driver to wait while she inspects the goods, and then decides she doesn't want the package after all.

Mrs. Jones calls at five minutes to six and insists that the meat market deliver immediately an order of meat which she must have for dinner.

Mrs. White complains that the material was not what she ordered, so she takes her spite out on the driver.

Every one of these cases means more bookkeeping and more worry for the driver.

Help him by being just a little more considerate. Give him time to deliver your goods so he will not be rushing through the streets with the possibility of injuring people.

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All you have to do is to drive out to the above station on U. S. Highway 61, select a name, write it with your name and address, and drop it in a box at the station. On August 1st, a committee of three will select from names submitted, a name for the station, also for the four next best names submitted they will give valuable prizes. Winners will receive the following:

FIRST PRIZE—\$10 Book for Dixcel Gasoline.

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FIFTH PRIZE—One Change of Motor Oil.

Every man, woman and child can submit one name. It is all free. Drive out and look the station over, then study out a short name that you think the judges will select so you can win a prize. You have until July 29th to submit a name. Get busy now, as it will require some thinking.

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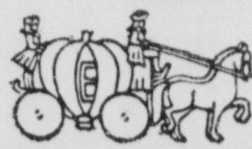
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Your small daughter may not have Shirley's curls and dimples, but she can pretend she's "Little Miss Broadway" herself, in one of these new frocks! She'll love them for their fine fabrics, and bright coloring. . . . and you'll second her choice because they're thoughtfully priced, and take to repeated tubbings. Look for the Shirley Temple photographic tag and Cinderella Coach label in each frock.

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# FROM THE COUNTY AGR'L AGENT

## NEW MADRID COUNTY FARM BUREAU NEWS

### Canalou 4-H Club Will Hold Tour Will Visit Each Boys Project

The Canalou 4-H sow and litter club will hold a tour, Friday afternoon, July 15, starting at one o'clock. Everyone will assemble at the Fred Geske farm promptly at the above time.

Every member of the club, of which there are eight, cordially invites the public to make this tour according to James Cope, President of the club. A visit will be made to each boys project and he will be given an opportunity to explain just how he has carried out the project.

There are some rather good gilts and boars in the group weighing from seventy to ninety pounds. Anyone interested in purchasing some good dueros might particularly like to make this tour. The pigs are subject to registration, says County Agent Broom.

This makes two projects this same group of boys has completed. They started out with a pure bred gilt club in the spring of 1937 and are now completing the sow and litter club.

Six of these boys are making plans to attend club camp July 18-21 at Arcadia. They are James Cope, Doyle Greenlee, Barney Blankenship, James Coppage, Dale Geske and John Ingram.

### Straw Piles Made Into Manure Quickly and Economically Done

Many New Madrid County farmers have been burning their straw stacks, plowing around them

or stacking them in some out of the way place. Of course a few who have cattle have been utilizing them through their cattle. Also, with the coming of the combine, which many are now using, the straw is being scattered back onto the fields. So that the straw stack is not so much a problem.

However, a number of farmers in the county still bind and thresh their wheat. This means in many instances straw still more or less going to waste. Each spring the Agents see a number being burned rather than going back to the soil, which certainly needs humus and fertility.

These straw piles may now be economically and quickly converted into artificial manure of good quality according to County Agent Broom.

Approximately three tons of manure may be made from each ton of straw according to tests made by the College of Agriculture.

In making this artificial manure it is necessary to add to the straw, or other waste roughage, chemicals carrying nitrogen, which is essential as a bacterial food. Limestone is needed to prevent excess sourness. The department of soils of the Missouri College of Agriculture has designed a homemade reagent containing 45% ammonium sulfate, 40% finely ground limestone and 15% superphosphate which when mixed with dry straw, or other materials at the rate of 150 pounds per ton will cause a "rotting down" and manure formation in 3-6 months time.

This will, also, work very satisfactorily for heavy cornstalk land and combined wheat fields. The mixture may be drilled on the land with a disc drill or broadcast with a lime sower at the rate of 150 pounds per ton of straw or other organic material immediately before it is plowed under. For further detailed information write or call your County Agent.

### Thirty-Five to Attend Camp

Approximately thirty-five club boys and girls with adult leaders from New Madrid County will attend club camp at Arcadia from July 18 to July 21, says Asst. County Agent Lane. This group will be transported to and from Arcadia by bus. Following is the schedule of stops by the bus before leaving New Madrid County. Leave Risco from the Algier filling station at 7:00 a. m.; Leave filling station on south side of junction of 61 and 62 highways 7:30 a. m.; Leave filling station at end of spur from New Madrid 7:45 a. m.; Leave filling station at junction of Matthews road and Highway 61 at 8:30 a. m. The bus will leave promptly and anyone expecting to go must be at one of the designated stopping places on time, otherwise they may be left. Each person is expected to bring: 1. Clothes enough to keep clean. 2. All toilet articles needed. 3. A bathing suit if you want to swim. 4. One sheet and blanket or quilt, towels.

Expenses are as follows: 1. \$3.15 for registration. 2. \$1.00 for transportation. 3. 50 cents for swimming.

## MALONE THEATRE

Sikeston, Missouri

COOLEST SPOT in Town!

LAST SHOWING

THURSDAY, JULY 15—

Loretta Young in **THREE BLIND MICE**

Comedy and Short.

FRIDAY, JULY 15—

Wife vs. Ex-Wife... A Love-Duel That Thrills! **MARSHALL-BRUCE-ASTOR**

**WOMAN against WOMAN** Directed by ROBERT SINCLAIR

News and comedy.

SATURDAY, JULY 16—

"Law of the Underworld"

With Chester Morris. Comedy and Serial.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JULY 17-18—

KATHARINE HEPBURN CARY GRANT **Holiday** A COLUMBIA PICTURE

With Cary Grant and Katharine Hepburn.

News and Comedy.

TUESDAY, JULY 19—

"Life of the Party"

With Gene Raymond and Harry Hilliard.

Comedy and Short.

Pal Night

2 adults admitted for the price of 1. All children 10c.

## THE LANDING PROBLEM



4. Money for two meals while on the road. The mornings at camp will be used for instruction on Soils Conservation and Handicrafts, the afternoons for directed recreation, tours and swimming, the evenings until 9:00 p. m. for singing and "Stunt" games.

### DOES BLADDER IRRITATION

WAKE YOU UP? It's not normal. It's nature's warning "Danger Ahead." Your 25¢ back if this 4 day test does not help nature flush excess acid and other wastes from the kidneys. Excess acids can cause the irritation resulting in getting up nights, frequent or scanty flow, burning, backache or leg pains. Just say Bukets (25¢) to any druggist. Locally at White's Drug Store.

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### EBERT-KREADY TO MEET WITH MRS. ARCH RUSSELL

The annual birthday party of the Ebert-Kready Missionary Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Arch Russell Thursday afternoon, July 21, with Mrs. C. A. Cook and Mrs. O. E. Kendall as assistant hostesses. Mrs. O. N. Watts will have charge of the program and Mrs. John L. Tanner will lead devotionals. Each member is requested to come and bring a penny for each year of her age.

### Parish Association Meeting

The St. Francis Xavier Association held their regular meeting Monday evening in the New Church. This meeting was well attended. Plans are being completed for the annual picnic to be held on Saturday, July 30. Dinner and supper will be served in the Parish Hall.

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

### BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JACQUELINE HENINGTON

Mrs. W. E. Henington entertained Tuesday afternoon with a birthday party in honor of her daughter, Jacqueline, who that day celebrated her eighth birthday anniversary. There were 12 guests present to enjoy the affair.

### BROWN SOX PLAYERS HAVE 2-WEEK LAY OFF

The Brown Sox have two open Sundays coming up, on July 17 and 24. Their next game is with Dexter here Sunday, July 31, according to Secretary Charles Bethune. Mr. Bethune said he might be able to book a game for July 24, but there will be no game Sunday.

Miss Dimple Patterson is spending the week in Portageville visiting her sister, Mrs. John Mark Fuller, and family, and Miss Mary Ann Killian.

### COMPLIMENTARY TICKET

Sikeston Standard  
Sikeston Natatorium

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Member of family of  
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### THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services Sunday morning at 9:00; Sermon subject: "The Voice Of Authority."

Services Sunday Evening at 8:00; Subject: "Deserting Christ For The Love Of The World."

Sunday School: 10:00 a. m.

Young Peoples' Meeting: 6:30 p. m.

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet at the Church Monday evening.

Rev. Dorsey D. Ellis, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, left Wednesday for Fulton, Mo. where he will attend a meeting of the Home Mission Committee of the Presbyterian Synod of Missouri. He is expected back Friday.

At a called meeting of the Presbytery of Potosi at Cape Girardeau last Thursday, pastoral relations were dissolved between Rev. Wm. J. Gammon and the First Presbyterian Church of Jackson, and Rev. J. M. DeFriend and the Presbyterian Church at Ste. Genevieve. Rev. Mr. Gammon was dismissed to Missouri Presbytery to become pastor of the Perry Church, and Rev. Mr. DeFriend was granted permission to labor outside the bounds of the Presbytery. The latter expects to work for a year on the Home Mission

fields of Oregon, as preparatory work for going to the Foreign field. Rev. W. J. Gammon's resignation as Stated Clerk was

accepted and Rev. Dorsey D. Ellis was elected to fill the vacancy. The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

## SIKESTON BULL SERVICE

Registered Hereford, Jersey, Guernsey and Holstein. Top bull to choose from. Service will be delivered to your barn or farm for a fee of \$2.50 cash in hand. Return trip free of charge if necessary.

These bulls have been selected from high producing strains and from gold and silver medal dams whose individuality stamped them as outstanding animals.

Only a few people who own cows have herds large enough to justify keeping a good bull. The cost of the animal, of providing a safe place to keep him, and of the feed, makes service come so high that it isn't done. Loss of time in taking the cow to a bull, allowing the heat to pass by, hoping to have more time when she comes in again, and breeding to inferior animals are common practices, which are most unsatisfactory and unprofitable.

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It offers you bulls of genuine quality, which will help your cows produce calves worth keeping.

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Of special importance to you is the fact that these bulls are periodically tested for tuberculosis and abortion. A prophylactic is administered after each and every service, to insure against infection.

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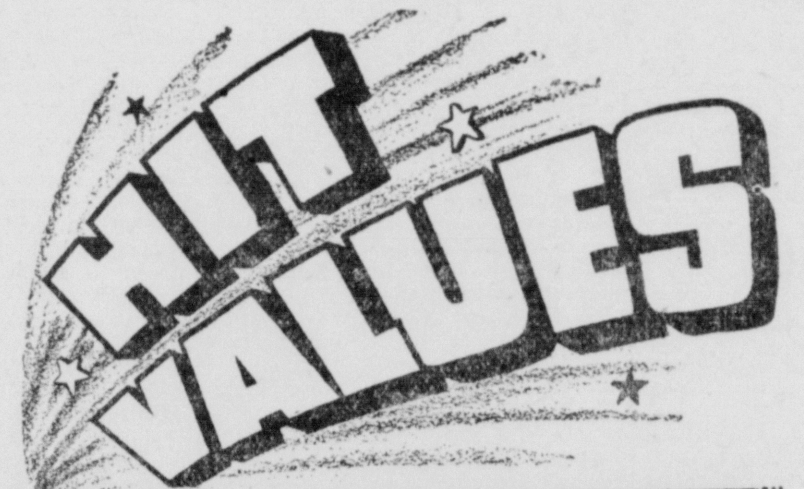
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## IN OUR SALE OF ALL SUMMER SHOES

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LADIES SHOES		MEN'S SHOES	
\$7.50	NOW	\$4.95	\$7.00
\$5.85	NOW	\$3.95	\$6.00
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\$3.95	NOW	\$2.95	\$4.00
\$2.95	NOW	\$1.95	
Children's Shoes 1-3 off			

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Sale including white, brown and white, wheat linen, and other color combinations.

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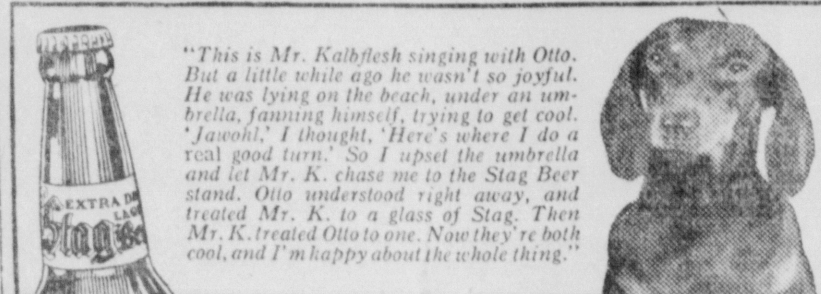
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State of Missouri )  
County of Scott ) ss.  
Notice is hereby Given, that a  
Primary Election will be held at  
the regular polling places in each  
precinct of said county of Scott,  
State of Missouri, and that the  
polls will be open between the  
hours of six (6) o'clock in the  
morning and seven (7) o'clock in  
the evening (unless the sun shall  
set after seven (7) o'clock when  
the polls shall be kept open until  
sunset), on the first Tuesday in  
August, 1938, being the 2nd day  
of August, 1938, for the purpose  
of nominating candidates for State,  
District, County and Township  
offices, to be voted for at the Gen-  
eral Election to be held on Tues-  
day, the 8th day of November,  
1938; and for the purpose of elect-  
ing Committeemen and Commit-  
teewomen for the several town-  
ships in the county.

That the list hereinafter men-  
tioned contains the names and  
Post office address of each candi-  
date for nomination, together with  
a designation of the office for  
which he is a candidate, and the  
party or principle that he repre-  
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State of Missouri )  
County of Scott ) ss.

I, Harry C. Watkins, Jr., Clerk  
of the County Court, within and  
for the State and County afore-  
said, do hereby certify that the  
above and foregoing is a true and  
correct list containing the name  
and post office address of each  
candidate, together with a designa-  
tion of the office for which he is  
a candidate, the party or princi-  
ple he represents; also, the hours  
during which the polls will be  
open.

In Testimony Whereof, I have  
hereunto set my hand and affixed  
the seal of said County Court.  
Done at office in Benton, this the  
2nd day of July, 1938.

**HARRY C. WATKINS, Jr.**  
Clerk of the County Court.  
(SEAL)

At its Mid-Summer Opening  
last week the Chillicothe Busi-  
ness College had new enrollments  
from California, North Carolina,  
Montana, Florida, Wyoming, New  
Mexico, Minnesota, Michigan,  
Texas, Alabama, Mississippi and  
Wisconsin.

—Dr. Drace, eye, ear, nose and  
throat specialist in Sikeston ev-  
ery Thursday. Glasses fitted. tf



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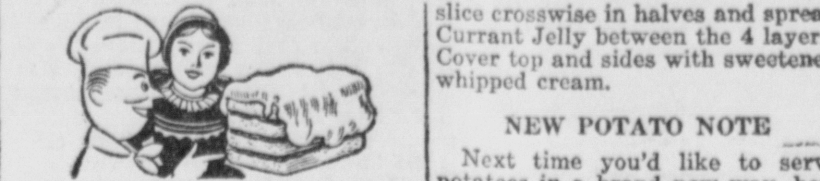
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**TART TIP**

Here's a real old-fashioned HUN-  
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will love the delicate filling of  
Currant Jelly tucked between the  
layers and the smooth covering of  
rich sweet cream over the whole  
dessert. Bake the tart ahead of  
time, then just before the dinner  
hour, pile Jelly between the layers,  
seal it in with a fluffy topping of  
the whipped cream and pop in the  
refrigerator to chill. Then when  
dessert time comes, produce this  
triumph and serve. It's a sure  
success made so:

**Sift together twice—**  
1/4 cupful sugar  
1/2 cupful sifted cake flour  
1/2 teaspoonful baking powder  
1/4 teaspoonful salt.

**Beat—**  
6 egg yolks and  
1/4 cupful sugar together 5 minutes  
or until thick, using rotary  
egg beater.

**Add—**  
1/2 cupful almonds, blanched, toast-  
ed and finely chopped  
1 lemon rind, grated. Fold in  
flour mixture.

**Beat—**  
6 egg whites until stiff, then fold  
into batter.

Pour into 2 small square pans  
(8x8x2") that have been greased  
and floured. Bake in a slow oven  
(350° F.) 25 to 30 minutes. Invert  
pans until cold. Remove from pans.

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REFORMATION

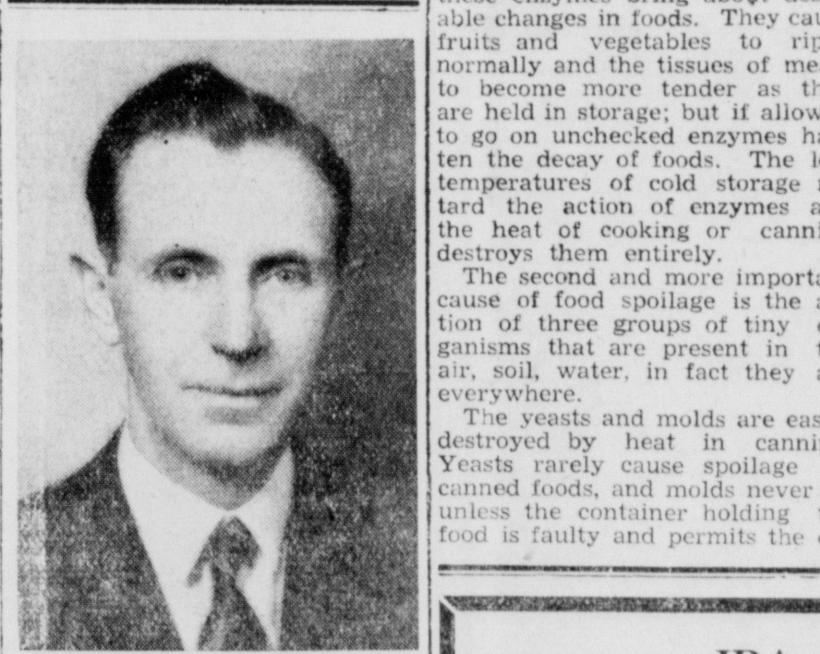
The little group that worships  
on the Corner of Greer and Lion  
is making progress. Come next  
Sunday night and see for your-  
selves. The emphasis is placed  
upon Bible Truth and that which  
satisfies the needs of the soul.

The subject for next Sunday  
night is "The Grand Triangle of  
Evil". Text, "Jesus said unto  
them, Take heed and beware of  
the leaven of the Pharisees and  
Sadducees, and of Herod". Matt.  
16:6 and Mark 8:15. "The King-  
dom of Heaven is like unto leaven,  
which a woman took and hid in  
three measures of meal until the  
whole was leavened". Matt. 13:33.  
There is awful truth in these  
texts. What did Jesus mean to  
teach from these three texts?

Very important announcements  
will be made next Sunday night.  
The public is very cordially in-  
vited to these open air meetings.  
During these hot summer months  
the open air is the only place to  
get comfort after the sun sets.

**J. B. Brunk, pastor.**

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**Vote For  
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Democratic Candidate  
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**Representative**

His family moved to Van-  
duser 40 years ago when he  
was 4 years old, and he lived  
there until he was grown,  
having cast his first vote in  
Scott County. He volunteer-  
ed and served in the World  
War from Scott County. After  
the war he returned and later  
moved to New Madrid Coun-  
ty and served 2 terms from  
that county in the Legisla-  
ture, where he made an en-  
viable record. He has operat-  
ed a store in Sikeston for 6  
years and moved here over 2  
years ago.

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Vote for  
J. S. WALLACE**

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Democratic Candidate for  
**Prosecuting Attorney**

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Your Support  
and  
YOUR VOTE**

**VOTE FOR BLANTON**

**A SELECTED EDITORIAL**

At least one large manufactur-  
ing firm is attempting to create a  
larger volume of business by re-  
ducing prices. This move is in  
accord with the suggestion of  
President Roosevelt many months  
ago, but which was not followed  
generally by the business inter-  
ests over the country.

On the contrary, when condi-  
tions began to improve, they evi-  
dently took it for an opportunity  
to boost prices. They did so, ex-  
pecting rapidly to recoup losses of  
former years. It just did not work

out that way, for the buying pub-  
lic in the meantime had decided  
to put off buying until the prices  
were right.

The recession set in because of  
this condition, according to the  
president. Congress has again  
come to the rescue with a large  
appropriation designed to en-  
courage buying, to give work to  
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## Are You an Ozzie?

At least, Can You Honestly Say You Have Never Pulled an "Ozzie" Stunt?

HARTFORD, Conn. — (Special) — The typical highway killer of 1937, according to The Travelers Insurance Company's analysis of last year's auto accidents was not necessarily a speeder, or a drunken driver or a reckless driver. He wasn't in fact, a chronic or vicious violator of any sort. He was just an average driver, even as you and I, who possessed too much of the attitude that "the other fellow" was always wrong and too little knowledge of the traffic laws and the actual causes of accidents.

To emphasize this thought, we introduce a personification of this average driver in the character of "Ozzie." He's a happy-go-lucky, thoughtless boob, and his antics on the highway provide much amusement while furnishing serious food for thought.

He's an exaggerated character

## Highway Enemy No. 1



WANTED: This man responsible for death of 40,300 persons on highways last year. If you should see him, while looking in the mirror, authorities urge you to reform at once.

at the wheel. The other 97 per cent were "experienced" drivers, like "Ozzie," who knew just what to do with their hands and feet but who didn't use their heads.

Truck drivers and women drivers are anathema to "Ozzie." We may all be impatient with them

"Ozzies" should be deflated when they read these figures.

There's another mistake which "Ozzies" are likely to make. They feel that when visibility is good and the road surface is dry they don't have to be careful. Most of us have learned to fear snow, rain and fog. Driving under such conditions is like groping in the dark, and we are cautious. And when the road surface is slippery we tread lightly on the accelerator, knowing that speed at such a time may be fatal.



I've been driving for years—I don't have to be careful any more.

and no one will like to think of himself as an "Ozzie." But if we're honest with ourselves we may have to admit that the label fits us at times.

Perhaps "Ozzie's" worst fault is his cock-sureness. "It's these beginners that cause all the trouble," you're likely to hear him say.

He would be surprised to learn that only three per cent of drivers in fatal accidents last year had less than one year's experience

at times, but the fact of the matter is that eight out of ten vehicles involved in fatal accidents are passenger cars, and 94.4 per cent of drivers involved in fatal accidents are males. The ego of all

The accident totals show this to be true, for only 17 per cent of all fatal accidents occur during fog, snow and rain; less than 22 per cent occur on wet, snowy or icy roads.

What we must all learn is that a little less speed even under the best conditions is advisable.

The Goops probably had as much to do with improving the table manners and drawing room manners of the present generation of adults as any other single factor. It is to be hoped that "Ozzie" may have an equally beneficial influence on our highway manners.

## American League Tops Cape, Nationals Lose to Matthews

Teams comprised of the ranking players of the American and National softball leagues split with two invading teams in the big softball show Tuesday evening, the Americans turning back Kelo Oil Co. of Cape Girardeau, 9-8, and the Nationals going down before the undefeated Matthews team in a game even closer, 7-6.

The International Shoe Co. girls of Cape Girardeau dropped the pick of the Sikeston girls in a four-inning curtain raiser, 14-9.

Twice the Americans had to overtake the Oilers, passing them the final time in the last of the fifth. Sikeston got 11 hits, the Oilers eight. Herbst's homer in the fourth with two on base helped Cape Girardeau to a five-run spree this inning. Batters for the American League bunched their hits in the four innings from the second to the fifth, thereby making them pay well. John Tandy of Sikeston and Lair of the visitors hit every time, Lair knocking out three doubles and Tandy two doubles and a single.

The National League apparently were all set for a second victory when Matthews broke a 5-3 count in the sixth with four runs. This lead was what Billy Roberts' team needed, for a budding rally in the seventh netted the Nationals one run, one short of tying the count. The local players had no difficulty hitting Reed for 12 safeties, the same number that Matthews got. J. Miller hit three times in four trips to the plate.

In the girls game, fielding was more or less a sideline, and the Cape group supplied 10 hits, two more than Sikeston, which was the best way to win the game. Mary Ellen Johnson knocked a home run in the second inning.

Score by innings, girls' game: Cape Girardeau 240 8-14 Sikeston 430 2-9 Batteries: Popp, Schatte and Sledge; O'Connor and Rabb.

Kelo Oil AB R H E Langston, c. 3 0 0 2 Raynolds, ss. 4 1 0 0 Zemer, 3b. 3 1 0 0 Lair, cf. 3 2 0 0 Nenninger, 1b. 2 1 0 0 Carney, 2b. 2 1 1 1 Sides, lf. 3 1 1 0 Mahew, ss. 3 0 1 0 Herbst, p. 3 1 0 0

Bartholomew, rf. 3 0 0 0 29 8 8 3

American League AB R H E R. Bandy, ss. 3 1 1 0 Eaton, 1b. 3 1 2 0 Nelson, lf. 3 0 0 1 Williams, c. 0 0 0 0 Kuehnle, cf. 3 2 2 0 Tandy, 2b. 3 2 3 0 Jones, 3b. 3 1 1 1 Capps, rf. 3 1 1 0 Rogers, cf. 3 0 0 0 A. Lee, ss. 3 1 1 0 Law, p. 2 0 0 0 29 9 11 2

Kelo Oil 300 500 0-8 American League 032 220 x-9

Matthews AB R H E Depro, c. 4 0 1 0 Reed, p. 4 0 1 0 Roberts, 2b. 3 1 2 0 Clark, 1b. 3 2 2 1 Critchlow, 3b. 3 1 2 1 Spaulding, ss. 3 0 0 0 B. Sutton, rf. 3 0 1 0 Eifer, ss. 3 1 0 1 Whitten, cf. 3 2 2 0 George, lf. 3 0 1 1 32 7 12 4

Nat'l League AB R H E J. Miller, ss. 4 1 3 0 A. Swaim, 2b. 4 0 2 1 F. Swaim, lf. 4 0 2 0 Hill, cf. 4 1 0 0 Mow, rf. 3 0 0 0 Sexton, 1b. 3 1 1 0 P. Marshall, 3b. 2 1 2 0 Ellise, ss. 3 0 2 0 Moser, p. 2 1 1 0 Keasler, c. 2 1 1 0 D. Swaim-x 10 0 0 0 C. Sutton-xx 1 0 0 0 33 6 12 3

x-Batted for Moser in 7th. xx-Batted for Keasler in 7th. Matthews .001 114 0-7 Nat'l League .011 210 1-6

### AUXILIARY NOTES

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the Hut Tuesday evening. At the close of the business meeting the Junior Auxiliary will present a play for celebration of Fidac Department. All members are urged to attend.

## Morehouse News

Miss Virginia Harrison left Sunday for Los Angeles, Calif. to make her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shivers and Miss Virginia Edwards who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards the past two weeks left Saturday for their homes in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Reynolds and Mrs. John Mocabee who have been visiting old friends here left for home in Los Angeles, Calif. Monday.

Miss Bernadean Comstock of Sikeston, was the guest of her brother Carl Comstock and wife Monday.

Fred Bowman and wife, and Mrs. Mary Newton left Thursday for Flint, Mich., where they will visit Mrs. Newton's son Charlie Newton and wife for a few days and then Mr. and Mrs. Bowman will go to Canada to spend several days. They expect to be gone 10 days or two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Loy and son Geo. Jr. of St. Louis were guests of Mrs. Luvinia Worley Monday and her son Clyde Worley, Jr. accompanied them home for a two weeks visit in the city.

Claude Dilday spent the past few days with his wife in St. Louis and was accompanied home by his wife who has been a patient at the Barnes hospital.

D. L. Fisher and family who have been visiting relatives and old friends at Culver Lake, and other points in Indiana the past two weeks are expected home Saturday.

The New Madrid Co. W. C. T. U. convention will be held in the Methodist Church here Thursday, July 21 from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

While playing ball here July 4, Joe Bill Michaels of Diehlstadt who was playing with the Charleston team had the misfortune to get the middle finger of his right hand broken. His many friends here were very sorry of the accident.

Among the number from here who heard Rev. Sam Morris' wonderful temperance lecture Saturday afternoon in the Sikeston Baptist Church were Rev. Harold Ray and wife, and Mesdames Lou Cretia O. Vick and Ora Lacy.

Frank Atkinson and son Thomas Atkinson and nephew Harold Lee Atkinson of Los Angeles, Calif. are visiting the former's mother Mrs. Maggie Wafford and his sister Mrs. Hollie Hutson and other relatives and their old friends in this city.

### FARM BUREAU NEWS

The Executive Board of the New Madrid County Farm Bureau met the evening of July 12, and plans were made for a picnic. This picnic sponsored by the Farm Bureau will be held August 11, probably at the Bullocks Grove, on Highway 61 just north of Marston. Only farmers and families and those interested in farming are invited. There will be a basket dinner at noon, and each family should remember to bring a well-filled basket. Leon Lane, Assistant County Agent, was appointed Recreational Chairman. The program of entertainment will be announced later. Mr. Farmer, this is your picnic so remember the date and be sure to come and bring the family.

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## Oran News

Mrs. Butler and son of Memphis, Tenn. have been visiting at the Curtis Halford home.

Thursday night of last week Miss Rutha Nell Halford entertained about 20 of her friends with a tacky party at her home on the lawn. The guests spent a delightful evening and voted Miss Rutha Nell a charming young hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Metz of St. Louis spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Stehr. The ladies are cousins and Mrs. Metz will be better remembered as Miss Ellen Moore.

Miss Irene Stehr has been called back to work in Chaffee. Mrs. Otto Davenport of Osceola, Ark. spent the week end here with friends.

Lawrence Oliver was called back to work in Detroit last week. Mrs. Grace Hodgkiss of the Unity neighborhood was transacting business here Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Meinberg of St. Louis spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Myers and children of Clarkton visited Mrs. Minnie Akley and daughters Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Natalie Franke and children went to Cape Girardeau Wednesday for a visit with relatives before returning to their home in St. Louis.

J. F. Crader is working in Chaffee.

There was a sale of household goods of Tony Halter, Buddy Witt and some of the Louis Mitchell furniture Saturday afternoon on the street. Mrs. Mitchell has gone for an extended visit with her daughter Mrs. Tom Haw.

Cletus Crader has sold his Cut Rate Drug store and lunch counter to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Grice.

The W. M. S. of the Baptist Church will give an ice cream social on the church lawn Friday night, July 15th. Everybody in-

vited. There will be a good program. Edgar De Rousch of Sikeston and brother Frank from a CCC camp visited their mother recently.

Miss Lorene Akley spent the week end with her sister Miss Frances and other friends in Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sikes attended a reunion of the Fields family in Sikeston Sunday. Miss Bernadean Sikes went on to Risco for a visit with relatives.

Chas. Baty sold his interest in the Baty and Burger barber shop to Manley Engle. Mr. Baty is working in Sikeston.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School—9:30 o'clock. Bill Hayden, Superintendent. Morning Worship—10:45 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor.

B. T. U.—6:45 o'clock. Mrs. Jewell Allen director. Evening Worship—7:45 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor.

Weekly teachers' and officers' meeting each Wednesday evening, 7:15 o'clock; Prayer service at 7:45 o'clock; Choir practice at 8:45 o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to worship with us.—Rev. E. W. Milner, Pastor.

### BIRTHDAY DINNER FOR JOLLY 12 MEMBERS WED.

Mrs. Judson Boardman and Mrs. J. L. Sutterfield were honor guests at a birthday dinner given Wednesday at the former's home by members of the Jolly Twelve Club. There were fourteen present, twelve members and two visitors, Mrs. Myrtle Ralph of Princetonville, Ill., and Mrs. F. J. Gallagher of Tucson, Ariz.

### YOUNG SON DIES

William E. Jones, 1½-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Jones of near Sikeston, died Monday night of colitis. He was an only child. The body was taken by Dempster's to Johnson County, Arkansas, for funeral services Wednesday afternoon.

## Morley News

Howard Stowe who is employed at Matthews spent the week end at home.

Misses Wilma Lee Hankins and Ellen Austin were visitors at Sikeston Friday.

Mrs. Elmyra Bynum, Luta Evans, Joy and Merle Wolpers visited at Poplar Bluff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brasher and children visited at Benton Sunday.

Misses Mavoureen Cummins and Glenda Ruth May were in Cape Monday.

Miss Ruby Hitt of Charleston visited here over the week end. Miss Louise Williams of Vanduser spent Thursday with Mavoureen Cummins.

Guy Shores and son who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Shores returned to their home at Lansing, Mich. Sunday.

Roy Congleton of Little Rock, Ark. Mesdames Otto Shorter and C. C. Byreans of Terre Haute, Ind. were called here by the illness and death of their mother Mrs. Dora Congleton.

Wm. Foster and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lett and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cummins and children and Norma Byrant and Mary Ellen Miles attended the Sikeston American Legion picnic on Castor River Sunday.

Paul Foster transacted business at Memphis Tuesday.

Funeral Services were held Monday at the Methodist church for Mrs. Dora Congleton who passed away at her home here Saturday morning.

The Intermediate Class of the Baptist B. Y. P. U. was entertained with a party Monday night by Miss Betty Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mount attended banquet and evening session of the 50th district meeting of Masons, in Bloomfield, Tuesday evening. I. G. Lewis attended the afternoon session.

## Pharris Ridge News

Mrs. Wilson Pearson and son left Thursday for a short visit with her parents near Blytheville, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Parish and Mrs. R. P. Harris visited friends at Dexter, Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Harris, Mrs. John Martin and Mrs. Lula Warren left Wednesday morning for Clarks-ville, Ark. to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cowgar of Tanner had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Harris and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ragan Harris, and R. P. Harris.

There will be church at this place Sunday and Sunday night. Lets all come.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harmon and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Paylar of Matthews.

Billy Jean, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Larker is on the sick list.

Relatives from Farmington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Vess Martin Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Mayfield and daughter Mrs. Murray Klein, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Brown Clippard in Oak Ridge, Monday.

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